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BRIEF HINTS ON THE CULTURE OF DAHLIAS.

TREATMENT OF PLANTS ON RECEIPT.—Dahlias are usually sent out as young green plants in 3-inch pots. If, upon receipt, the plants are found to have suffered during transit from drought or similar causes, they should be watered and kept close until recovered. The plants should then be re-potted into 5-inch or 6-inch pots and placed in a cold frame protected by lights. Allow a little ventilation at first, and increase gradually each day until the lights are removed altogether during the day, to be replaced only at night to protect from frost or cutting winds, the aim being to make the plants as strong and sturdy as possible. Towards the end of May or early in June (according to the season and district) they may be planted out where they are intended to bloom.

SOIL AND PLANTING.—The best soil for Dahlias is undoubtedly a good, deep, fairly heavy loam. Where this does not naturally exist, the soil should be deeply trenched during the winter; if light and of poor quality, good, well-rotted manure should be freely added. When planting is done, if the weather is cold, the plants should be protected from the cutting winds by placing a few beech twigs or small branches of spruce upright in the soil at a little distance from the plant, a stake should also be placed to each plant, and the plant made secure by tying with raffia or some other soft material.

CULTURE for EXHIBITION or GARDEN DECORATION.—If it is intended to grow flowers for exhibition, the shoots should be thinned out at an early stage. Those remaining should be attached to separate stakes in order that the growth does not become too crowded, and so obstruct light and air. A mulching with well-rotted manure will be of great advantage to the plants; also if the weather is at all dry liberal supplies of water or liquid manure should be given at intervals. All side or weakly buds should be removed, and only the strongest allowed to develop. The preceding remarks apply also to Dahlias grown for garden decoration, except that the necessity for disbudding does not arise, neither do the growths require thinning to the same extent; in fact, the Single and Pompon sections are better and more effective if all the growths are allowed to remain.

Note.—Full descriptions of the varieties named in the following Collections will be found in their respective classes on other pages.

SPECIAL

COLLECTIONS OF DAHLIAS

SELECTED BY THE

National Dahlia Society

REVISED 1910.

The following **Selections** of Dahlias have been **made by the National Dahlia Society**, as being the **best varieties**, for the purpose stated, that have yet been introduced. **Descriptions** of all the varieties will be found in their respective classes in the following pages.

COLLECTION No. 1.

The Best 24 Cactus Dahlias for Exhibition.

Brigadier, 1/-
 Caradoc
 Cella, 6d.
 C. E. Wilkins, 6d.
 Faunus
 Glory of Wilts, 1/-
 Harold Peerman, 6d.
 Helium, 6d.
 J. B. Ridding
 Marathon, 1/-
 Monarch, 1/-
 Mrs. McMillan

Mrs. Walter Baxter, 6d.
 Nelson
 Rev. Arthur Bridge
 Rev. Arthur Hall
 Rev. T. W. Jamleson, 1/-
 Ruby Grinstead
 Satisfaction, 1/-
 Snowdon, 1/6
 Snowstorm, 1/6
 Stormer, 1/6
 Wellington, 1/-
 William Marshall

One plant each of the above 24 varieties for 15/-

Purchaser's selection of varieties from above except those priced per doz., 3/6

Our selection of varieties from aboveper doz., 3/-

Special Collections of Dahlias—continued.**COLLECTION No. 2.****The Best 22 Cactus Dahlias for Garden Display.**

A. D. Stoop
Alexander
Amos Perry
Australian, 6d.
Avoca, 6d.
Cynthia, 6d.
Dainty
Eclair, 6d.
Effective
Flash, 1/6
Glow

Lustre
Mauve Queen, 6d.
Mrs. F. Grinstead
Mrs. H. L. Brousson
Mrs. J. S. Brunton
Primrose
Rev. Arthur Bridge, 6d.
Snowdon, 1/6
Stalwart, 1/-
Star
Westhall Scarlet, 6d.

One plant each of the above 22 varieties,8/6

Purchaser's selection of varieties from above, except those pricedper doz., 3/6

Our selection of varieties from aboveper doz., 1/6

COLLECTION No. 3.**The Best 12 Fancy Cactus Dahlias for Exhibition.**

Diavolo
Electric, 1/6
Fireworks, 6d.
Flora, 1/6
Mercury, 6d.
Meteor

Mrs. Seale
Mrs. Cozens
Nellie Ridding, 1/-
Saturn, 6d.
Sirlus
Victorian

One plant each of the above 12 varieties for6/-

Purchaser's selection of varieties from above, except those pricedper doz., 3/6

Our selection of varieties from aboveper doz., 3/-

COLLECTION No. 4.**The Best 10 Pompon Cactus Dahlias for Exhibition.**

Argus
Little Albert
Little Fred
Mary
Minnie, 6d.

Nain
Norah, 1/6
Titus
Tomtit
William Marshall

One plant each of the above 10 varieties for3/9

COLLECTION No. 5.**The Best 10 Pompon Cactus Dahlias for Garden Decoration.**

Argus
Coronation
Gracie
Mary
Mignon

Minnie, 6d.
Peace
Sovereign, 1/6
The Bride, 6d.
Tomtit

One plant each of the above 10 varieties for3/9

Special Collections of Dahlias—continued.**COLLECTION No. 6.****The Best 24 Show Dahlias for Exhibition.**

Arthur Rawlings	Gracchus	Perfection
Blush Gem	John Hickling	R. T. Rawlings
Chieftain	John Walker	Tom Jones, 1/6
Daniel Cornish	J. T. West	Victor
Delicacy	Marjorie	Warrior
Duchess of York	Maud Fellowes	William Powell
Florence Tranter	Miss Cannell	William Rawlings
George Hobbs	Mrs. Gladstone	Willie Garrett

One plant each of the above 24 varieties for 6/6

Purchaser's selection of varieties from above, except that priced 3/6

Our selection of any 12 varieties from above for 3/-

COLLECTION No. 7.**The Best 12 Show Dahlias for Garden Display.**

Crimson King	John Walker	Queen of the Belgians
David Johnson	Merlin	R. T. Rawlings
Gracchus	Mrs. G. R. Jefferd	Spitfire
John Bennett	Perfection	Tom Jones, 1/6

One plant each of the above 12 varieties for 3/9

Purchaser's selection of varieties from above, except that priced 1/9

Our selection of any 6 varieties from above for 1/6

COLLECTION No. 8.**The Best 12 Fancy Dahlias for Exhibition.**

Buffalo Bill	Emin Pasha	Mrs. John Downie
Dandy	Frank Pearce	Mrs. Saunders
Dorothy	Goldsmith	Rebecca
Duchess of Albany	Matthew Campbell	Rev. J. B. M. Camm

One plant each of the above 12 varieties for 3/-

Purchaser's selection of any 6 varieties from above for 1/9

Our selection of any 6 varieties from above for 1/6

COLLECTION No. 9.**The Best 12 Fancy Dahlias for Garden Display.**

Comedian	Goldsmith	Mrs. Saunders
Duchess of Albany	Matthew Campbell	Novelty
Gaiety	Mrs. N. Halls	Peacock
Gold Medal	Mrs. R. Green	Prince Henry

One plant each of the above 12 varieties for 3/-

Purchaser's selection of any 6 varieties from above 1/9

Our selection of any 6 varieties from above for 1/6

Special Collections of Dahlias—continued.**COLLECTION No. 10.****The Best 14 Pompon Dahlias for Exhibition.**

Adelalde	Edlth Bryant	Nellie Broomhead
Clarence, 6d.	Ideal	Nerissa
Cyril, 6d.	Mars	Orpheus, 6d.
Daisy	Montagu Wootten,	Portia
Douglas	6d.	Tommy Keith

One plant each of the above 14 varieties for 3/9

Purchaser's selection of any 6 varieties from above, except those priced, for 1/9

Our selection of any 6 varieties from above for 1/6

COLLECTION No. 11.**The Best 16 Pompon Dahlias for Garden Display.**

Daisy	Mars	Vara
Darkest of All	Montagu Wootten,	Virginia
Falcon	Nerissa [6d.	Whisper
Ideal	Portia	White Aster
Iris	Silvia	Zerlina
	Tommy Keith	

One plant each of the above 16 varieties for 3/6

Purchaser's selection of any 6 varieties from above, except that priced, for 1/9

Our selection of any 6 varieties from above for 1/6

COLLECTION No. 12.**The Best 16 Single Dahlias for Exhibition.**

Beauty's Eye	Fugl San	Miss Roberts
Brilliant, 6d.	Kitty	Peggy
Eclipse	Leslie Seale	Princess of Wales
Columbine	Madonna	Snowdrop
Darkness	Mikado	Winona, 1/-
	Miss Morland	

One plant each of the above 16 varieties for 4/-

Purchaser's selection of any 6 varieties from above, except those priced, for 1/9

Our selection of any 6 varieties from above for 1/6

COLLECTION No. 13.**The Best 14 Single Dahlias for Garden Display.**

Beauty's Eye	Leslie Seale	Princess of Wales
Brilliant, 6d.	Miss Roberts	Stromboli
Columbine	Mikado	Snowdrop
Formosa	Mrs. J. Talt, 6d.	Winona, 1/-
Kitty	Polly Eccles	

One plant each of the above 14 varieties for 4/-

Purchaser's selection of any 6 varieties from above, except those priced, for 1/9

Our selection of any 6 varieties from above for 1/6

PRICES OF DAHLIAS.

PRICES (except where otherwise stated) refer to young plants in 3 in. pots. Ready in April.

PURCHASERS' SELECTION of varieties not priced, in any section, **3/6** per dozen ; **25/-** per 100.

OUR SELECTION, **3/-** per dozen ; **21/-** per 100 ; **10/6** for 50.

POT ROOTS.—We can supply dry pot roots (of most varieties not priced) until March, or as long as there is stock on hand. **Purchasers' Selection** of sorts not priced, **4/-** per dozen ; **30/-** per 100. **Our Selection**, **3/6** per dozen ; **25/-** per 100. Prices for pot roots of **new and recent** varieties on application.

NOTE.—If required by the purchaser, we will pot-on into larger pots and keep until planting-out time any varieties ordered, at an extra charge of **1/-** per dozen.

VARIETIES NOT LISTED.—Any variety, new or otherwise, not contained in this list can be supplied at current price.

May, 1909. Chester.

I am more than pleased with the Dahlias to hand; never have I had better plants.

C—— T——.

Show Dahlias.

The flowers produced by this section are the largest of any in the whole family of Dahlias. Of circular outline and globular form, they resemble large balls; of distinct and varied shades, each separate floret being beautifully quilled.



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SHOW DAHLIAS.

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SHOW DAHLIAS—continued.**New Varieties for 1910.****Raisers' Descriptions.**

No.		Height—Ft.
98	GOLD TIP , a very beautiful and distinct shade of cerise and cardinal, each petal slightly tipped gold, gold centre. 7/6	3
262	TWILIGHT , pale pink ground, tipped lilac, lilac centre, a lovely flower of good shape and petal. 7/6	3

GENERAL COLLECTION.

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No.		Height—Ft.
*10	Arthur Rawlings , rich crimson ; large ; grand form..	4
11	Arthur Ocock , reddish orange.....	4
25	Bloodhound , brick-red, fine for exhibition.....	3
*26	Blush Gem , blush ground edged purplish rose, shell petal, free. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., L.D.U.....	3
30	Boundstone , deep dark pink, of fine form ; petals of good size ; effective.....	4
43	Cherub , rich amber, fine petal and outline.....	3
*36	Chieftain , purplish lilac ; large.....	3
45	Claret Cup , light claret, slightly tipped gold ; shell petal ; good centre ; distinct. F.C.C., N.D.S.....	4
47	Colonist , chocolate and fawn ; distinct, fine form..	4
†49	Crimson King , deep crimson-scarlet.....	3
*51	Daniel Cornish , large terra-cotta flower	3
†52	David Johnson , salmon, shaded rose	3
*53	Delicacy , blush-white, edged delicate pink ; good shape, shell petal. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S.	2½
60	DIADEM , deep crimson, very fine	3
54	Dr. Keynes , rich buff, reddish tint at back of petals ..	3

SHOW DAHLIAS.**General Collection—continued.**

No.		Height—Ft.
*62	Duchess of York , lemon, veined and edged salmon-pink	3
66	Earl of Ravensworth , light lilac ; a large fine flower	3
69	EL VINO , blush-white ground, edged rosy purple ; a large fine flower of good shape ; distinct, vigorous, and free. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S. 1/- each	3
74	Esmond , yellow ; good petal ; extra large	4
*81	Florence Tranter , blush-white, edged rosy purple....	3
*89	George Hobbs , deep orange, large, fine	4
85	George Rawlings , dark maroon, with richer shading	4
92	Gloire de Lyons , very large ; the best pure white....	3
93	Gloria , creamy white, slightly shaded with lavender ; large, shell petal ; lavender-coloured centre	3
94	Glow-Worm , bright orange-scarlet ; high centre....	3
96	Golden Ball , bright butter-yellow, shading to orange ; shell petal ; very fine	4
†*99	Gracchus , bright orange-buff ; good petal.....	3
108	Harry Keith , rose-purple ; a large, fine flower.....	4
127	James Cocker , purple ; very fine	3
132	James Stephen , bright orange	3
133	JASPER , rich dark ruby, shaded purple ; of large size, fine shape and distinct colour ; a very fine variety. A.M., R.H.S. 1/- each	4
†136	John Bennett , yellow, edged scarlet	3
138	John Henshaw , rich ruby-crimson	3
*139	John Hickling , clear bright yellow	3
*140	J. T. West , yellow, heavily tipped purple	4
141	John Rawlings , heliotrope ; very fine	3
†*143	John Walker , pure white, large fine form ; free....	2
153	Mabel Stanton , clear yellow, deeper at base ; fine..	3
155	Mariner , deep fawn, edged 'scarlet. F.C.C., N.D.S.	3
*156	Marjorie , fawn, shaded amber	3
†158	Merlin , bright orange-scarlet ; grand variety.....	2
*160	Miss Cannell , cream, edged and tipped rosy pink ..	4

SHOW DAHLIAS.

General Collection—continued.

No.		Height—Ft.
†166	Mrs. G. R. Jefferd, rich deep yellow ; very fine.....	4
168	Mrs. D. Saunders, white, edged purple	3½
*180	Mrs. Gladstone, delicate soft pink.....	3
188	Mrs. Langtry, cream, edged crimson.....	4
189	Mrs. Morgan, blush-white, tinted rosy purple.....	4
169	Mrs. Shirley Hibberd, cream, shaded pink ; fine.....	3
167	Mrs. William Slack, blush-white, edged purple ; fine	3
170	Mrs. W. Treseder, creamy yellow, edged rosy pink..	3
*190	Maud Fellowes, white, shaded purple ; grand flower	3
197	Muriel Hobbs, rich yellow ; a grand flower.....	3
201	Norma, orange-buff	4
203	NULLI SECUNDUS, yellow, edged crimson ; very fine, of good shape. 6d. each.....	3
206	Pandora, pale blush ; very pretty.....	3
*†210	Perfection, orange-buff, of fine form.....	4
212	Pioneer, black ; darkest Dahlia yet raised.....	2½
220	Queen of Autumn, rich amber ; quite distinct	3
†226	Queen of the Belgians, cream, tinged pink ; fine....	4
229	Reporter, rich maroon-crimson ; fine form.....	3
232	ROBIN HOOD, deep terra-cotta, with lighter markings ; large, full, of good shape. 6d. each....	3
*†240	R. T. Rawlings, clear yellow ; very beautiful.....	3
245	Southern Queen, lilac, shaded and marked deep pink	3
†247	Splitfire, bright scarlet ; very effective.....	3
249	Sulphurea, pale sulphur-yellow ; perfect form....	3
*†260	TOM JONES, cream yellow ground, edged and suffused bright mauve pink, of large size and perfect form, with beautifully cupped and rounded petals ; the blooms are carried on long stalks well above the foliage ; excellent habit, very free ; one of the finest varieties sent out for some years. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U. 1/6 each....	4
*266	Victor, rich dark maroon ; very fine.....	3
270	Virginale, blush-white, edged pink ; free.....	3
*279	Warrior, bright scarlet ; a rich and effective colour..	4
285	W. H. Williams, scarlet ; a fine variety in every way	2
280	William Keith, dark plum, rich and effective.....	3
*281	William Powell, fine yellow.....	2½
*282	William Rawlings, rich crimson-purple.....	3
*283	Willie Garrett, bright cardinal.....	3
288	YANKEE, a beautiful blend of claret and crimson, of fine shape and good size. 6d. each.....	3
289	Yellow Boy, fine large flowers ; one of the best.....	3
290	Yellow Globe, fine yellow ; good centre.....	3

Fancy Dahlias.

The flowers of Fancy Dahlias are of the same size and form as show varieties, differing only in the colouring. In this section, the individual florets are either tipped or striped with a different colour to the other portion of the flower, giving them a distinct and novel appearance.

NEW VARIETY FOR 1910.

No.	Height—Ft.
354 JOHN BAXTER , deep orange ground, splashed red, outer petals edged with brownish red; perfect form and petal; a lovely flower. 7/6.....	2

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No.	Height—Ft.
*303 Buffalo Bill , buff, striped vermillion; large.....	3
†308 Comedian , orange, flaked and speckled crimson, tipped white	4
*311 Dandy , orange, striped crimson.....	3
312 Dazzler , pure yellow, flaked and striped bright scarlet	3
*313 Dorothy , fawn, flaked and striped deep maroon....	4
†*314 Duchess of Albany , orange, striped crimson.....	3
*316 Emin Pasha , yellow, striped crimson.....	3½
*329 Frank Pearce , rose, striped crimson.....	3
†334 Galety , light yellow, striped red and tipped white..	3
337 George Barnes , rich lilac, striped crimson; fine....	4
†339 Gold Medal , yellow, striped and splashed red.....	3½
†*340 Goldsmith , yellow, striped and edged crimson.....	4
372 Lottie Eckford , white, striped purple	2
†*378 Matthew Campbell , buff, striped crimson.....	3½
*381 Mrs. J. Downle , orange and scarlet.....	3
†387 Mrs. N. Halls , scarlet, tipped white.....	3
390 Mrs. Ocock , pale yellow, edged crimson and tipped white	4
†392 Mrs. Reggle Green , white ground, flaked and veined rosy purple; very pretty.	3
†*382 Mrs. Saunders , yellow, tipped white.....	4
394 Nansen , orange-scarlet, tipped gold; deep flower....	4
†396 Novelty , rose, flaked purple and pink.....	3½
†401 Peacock , dark maroon, tipped white; large.....	3
†409 Prince Henry , lilac, striped purple.....	3
*415 Rebecca , lilac and crimson.....	3
*418 Rev. J. B. M. Camm , yellow, flaked red.....	4
423 Roy Seale , deep flesh, heavily flaked and striped rosy crimson	4

FANCY DAHLIAS.**General Collection—continued.**

No.		Height—Ft.
427	Standard , dark chocolate, tipped bright yellow.....	3
429	Sunset , yellow, flaked and striped scarlet.....	2½
430	T. W. Girdlestone , lilac, flaked deep maroon; often self-coloured	4
432	Walter Spriggs , pale yellow, striped scarlet.....	3
434	Watchman , yellow, striped with bright crimson....	4



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FANCY DAHLIA, "PEACOCK."

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Bouquet or Pompon Dahlias.

This class forms one of the most interesting, beautiful, and useful of all the Dahlias. The flowers are of similar formation and shape as the Show varieties, but of much smaller size. The varieties cover a wide range of colours, are usually of a dwarf, compact, bushy habit, and remarkably free flowering. They are highly valued for the garden, and cutting for room and table decoration.

NEW VARIETIES FOR 1910.

Raisers' Descriptions.

No.		Height—Ft.
547	HIAWATHA , deep blackish maroon crimson; small, perfectly formed flowers with shell petals; freely produced on stiff stems; constant, dwarf, and compact. 5/-	2½
566	KENILWORTH , Venetian red, small and well formed, on long stiff wiry stems, perfect form, shell petals; very free; a grand variety. 5/-	3
586	LITTLE DONALD , a lovely shade of deep rich crimson; a lovely little flower of perfect form; very free and constant. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S. 5/-	3
645	THE BELLE , brightest rose pink, a small, neat, well-formed flower on stiff erect stems; very free; dwarf, compact habit. 5/-	3
646	THE SCOUT , reddish buff, a neat, compact flower with good centre; constant and free; a highly attractive variety. 5/-	3

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No.		Height—Ft.
485	Achilles , pale lilac; well formed; free	4
*477	Adelaide , blush, edged lavender; exquisite form	3
484	Admiration , crimson, tipped white; pretty and free	4
487	Amber Queen , clear amber, shaded apricot	3½
483	Arthur West , deep crimson; fine	4

BOUQUET OR POMPON DAHLIAS.

General Collection—continued.

No.		Height—Ft.
486	Adrienne , crimson scarlet, tipped yellow.....	3
488	Bacchus , bright crimson-scarlet ; small, neat.....	3
490	Blush Gem , beautiful shade of blush-pink ; free ; long, stiff stalks ; fine for cutting. F.C.C., L.D.U.	4
491	Buttercup , bright golden-yellow ; exquisite form....	3
*493	CLARENCE , maroon, shaded crimson, small and neat. 6d.	3½
495	Coquette , red, with white stripes.....	3½
497	Crusoe , white ground, edged bright rosy pink.....	4
498	Commodore , rich deep crimson	3
*496	CYRIL , bright crimson, a neat pretty flower, very free. 6d.....	3
†*500	Daisy , amber and salmon ; neat and constant	3
†501	Darkest of All , the darkest pompon raised to date....	3
499	Doris , rich orange, edged crimson-lake	3
*512	Douglas , deep shade of crimson ; good	3
506	Dr. Jim , white ground, heavily edged dark purple ..	3
*522	Edith Bryant , soft creamy-yellow, edged and pencilled crimson	3
513	Edith Foster , buff-yellow, heavily edged bronze- crimson ; neat, compact flower.....	3
523	Elsa , pure white.....	3
517	Emily Hopper , yellow ; one of the best	3
515	Eurydice , blush, tipped purple ; flowers profusely....	4
516	E. F. Junker , amber ; a small compact flower.....	3½
†526	FALCON , orange yellow, tipped scarlet. 6d.....	3
530	Ganymede , amber or fawn, shaded lilac.....	3½
534	George Brinkman , white ; fine for cutting	2½
536	GIRLIE , pinkish-mauve, full, of good form ; a neat and pretty flower, carried well above the foliage ; good grower, free bloomer. 6d. each.....	3
538	Gladys Valentine , blush-white ; very fine	2
544	Gulding Star (syn. WHITE ASTER), pure white ; fine..	3
†552	Iris , amber and fawn, shaded salmon and pink. 6d...	3
554	Iona , splendid yellow variety ; excellent	2
557	Jessica , amber-yellow, edged red	3½
564	Katie , yellow ground, edged and flushed rosy pink ..	2
†*551	Ideal , pure yellow ; of good depth and perfect out- line ; excellent habit ; free	3
576	Lillian , primrose, edged peach	3
584	Little Bugler , bright rosy purple	3

BOUQUET OR POMPON DAHLIAS.**General Collection—continued.**

No.		Height—Ft.
590	Little Lady , creamy white, tipped with rose	2
592	Little Mary , dark crimson; a model for exhibition; F.C.C., N.C.S., and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S. ..	3
595	Marlette , deep rosy-crimson	2½
†*593	Mars , bright scarlet; compact; free	3
594	Mary , sulphur and cream; small, perfect form; free	3
601	Midget , salmon, shaded peach; small, but free; F.C.C., N.D.S.	4
603	MOHICAN , soft yellow, prettily shaded with amber; a small, neat flower, freely produced on stout, erect stems; fine for cutting or exhibition; perfect in size, shape, and colour. 6d. each	3½
*†602	MONTAGU WOOTTEN , white, edged and shaded lake, a lovely flower, free. 6d.	3
604	NAUTILUS , rich apricot, bright golden-yellow centre; a small, neat bloom of fine shape, carried on stiff stems well above the foliage; very free. 6d. each	3
*605	Nettle Broomhead , soft lilac-mauve	3
†*607	Nerissa , dainty soft rose, tinted silver	3
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*615	ORPHEUS , yellow, good petal and outline; very free. 6d.	3
623	Phœbe , deep golden orange	4
624	Phyllis , yellow, shaded and edged red. 6d.	3½
622	Pluto , yellow, margined red	3
*†625	Portia , deep mauve, shaded pink; petals tipped with silver, silver centre. A.M., R.H.S.; F.C.C., N.D.S.	2
627	Queen of the Whites , pure white, good petal and outline, high centre	3
628	Ringdove , terra-cotta; effective	3
633	Rodney , amber, shaded fawn; good outline, small petal, high centre. A.M., R.H.S.; F.C.C., N.D.S.	3
638	San Toy , pure white, heavily edged rosy carmine....	3½
640	Splitfire , bright scarlet	3
641	Sunny Daybreak , pale apricot, edged rosy red	4
642	Sensation , soft primrose-yellow; free	2½
†639	SILVIA , pale ground, edged deep rose, good outline. 6d.	3½

BOUQUET OR POMPON DAHLIAS.**General Collection—continued.**

No.		Height—Ft.
648	Thalla , rose-pink, clear ivory-white eye.....	3
650	Thora , pale pink, slightly edged lemon; distinct. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C.'s, N.D.S., and L.D.U. ..	3
†*649	Tommy Kelth , red, striped white; small and neat ..	3
†651	VARA , yellow, very free, fine. 6d.....	4
†653	Virglnla , pure white, of medium size.....	3
647	Vivid , bright orange scarlet.....	3
654	W. H. Brownhill , rich velvety-crimson	2½
655	White Button , a charming small neat flower.....	3
†657	WHISPER , clear yellow, edged red. 6d.....	3
†	White Aster (syn. 544 GUIDING STAR)	—
†665	Zerlina , bright crimson-maroon; high centre	3

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No.		Height—Ft.
†*1701	Argus , crimson-lake, shaded scarlet, dark crimson centre; fine	2½
1704	Brilliance , bright orange-scarlet, perfect shape; stiff erect stems; free	4
†1708	Coronation , bright crimson-scarlet, medium size; dwarf and free.....	3
†1726	Gracie , yellow, suffused scarlet on lower half of petals, upper half white; free; fine	3
*1737	Little Albert , a pretty combination of buff and yellow; good stems; very free	2½
1738	Little Clara , pure white; a small star-shaped flower; very free, refined, and elegant	4
1739	Little Dolly , clear mauve-pink; free and constant. F.C.C., L.D.U.	3
*1740	Little Fred , primrose, shading to white, florets tipped green; neat and refined. A.M., R.H.S.; F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.	2½
†*1742	Mary , petals pure white, edged crimson; stiff stems, erect and free; a fine variety	3
†1743	Mignon , bright pink, base of florets greenish-lemon; fine.....	3½
1744	MINIMA , glossy violet-crimson, centre plum colour; fine petals evenly arranged; a very neat, attractive flower; constant and free; F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U. 1/- each.....	2½
*†1745	MINNIE , yellow ground, shaded orange, small and free. 6d.....	3
*1749	Nain , pale orange, darker centre; a small full flower; free	3
*1752	NORAH , golden yellow, shading to pale yellow at the tips, striped and splashed maroon crimson; constant and free. 1/6.....	3
†1758	Peace , ivory-white, wonderfully free; fine	3
1763	Reggie , crimson-maroon; very fine; free.....	3
†1768	SOVEREIGN , rich golden yellow, very free; a beautiful flower. 1/6.....	3
†1774	THE BRIDE , pure white of small size; perfect form; freely produced on wry stems. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U. 6d. each..	3½
*1778	Titus , lemon-yellow, changing to buff, tipped white; A.M., R.H.S.; and F.C.C., N.D.S.....	3
†*1782	TOMTIT , mauve-pink; narrow petals in star-like form. A.M., R.H.S.; F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.	3
1787	Vera , rose-pink, passing to shell-pink at the tips, shading to pure white towards the centre....	3½
*1789	William Marshall , bright crimson, small, good form.	4
1791	Wreathmaker , purest white, carried well above the foliage; fine for cutting.....	3

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CACTUS DAHLIA (*much reduced*).

[Clibrans.

Side view of bloom, showing long, incurving petals.

CACTUS DAHLIAS—continued.**NEW VARIETIES FOR 1910.****Raisers' Descriptions.**

No.	Height—Ft.
679 ARTHUR PICKARD , a light delicate shade of pinkish salmon, with lighter tips and base ; a first-class flower produced on long, strong stems ; beautifully incurving florets ; a high-class variety in every way. 7/6	5
680 AUBURN BEAUTY , a pleasing shade of bronze and buff red, passing to yellow in the centre ; florets slightly incurving, forming a flower of large size ; constant and free. 7/6	4
682 AVIATOR , a bright magenta, narrow florets ; a beautiful flower of good form ; erect on long wiry stems ; very free, good grower. 7/6	3½
688 BRIDAL ROBE , pure white of great depth and beauty ; long, stout, slightly incurved florets ; stems stiff and upright ; an early and continuous bloomer ; a magnificent variety in every way. 7/6	4
693 BRIGHTNESS , carmine red ; medium size ; fine petal, bushy habit, free ; a fine garden variety. F.C.C., N.D.S. 5/- each	3
715 DECORATOR , a beautiful shade of white and pale pink ; a lovely flower, erect on stiff upright stems ; splendid for garden effect and cutting purposes ; a very fine and distinct acquisition. 7/6	3
734 ETHEL YEATMAN , shell pink with salmon centre ; flowers of good size, freely produced on erect wiry stems ; an attractive variety both for form and colour ; very fine. 7/6	4
764 GOLD CREST , centre pure yellow, petals passing in the upper half to bright scarlet, slightly incurved, medium size ; carried on stiff, erect stems ; good habit and wonderfully free. A.M., R.H.S. ; F.C.C., N.D.S. 7/6	4

CACTUS DAHLIAS.**New Varieties for 1910—continued.**

No.	Height—Ft.
768 GWENDOLINE TUCKER , pale flesh pink, almost white in the centre ; on long stiff upright stems ; the flowers are of the largest size, with long, claw-shaped florets, beautifully incurving and of excellent substance, forming a flower of great depth and beauty ; undoubtedly a very high-class acquisition. 7/6	5
779 H. H. THOMAS , deep rich crimson, of beautiful form ; a superior and striking flower ; good grower and very free. A.M., R.H.S. ; F.C.C., N.D.S. 7/6..	4
791 INDOMITABLE , mauve-lilac, paling towards the tips ; long narrow perfectly incurved petals ; a magnificent and striking flower ; splendid for exhibition. A.M., R.H.S. ; F.C.C., N.D.S. 7/6.....	3
795 IOLANTHE , deep coral red, tipped gold ; the central unopened florets are also golden and very beautiful ; a large flower of great depth, excellent habit, and very free. A.M., R.H.S. ; F.C.C., N.D.S. 7/6 ..	3
803 JOHANNESBURG , bright gold, a magnificent flower, continuing for a long period in full beauty ; of large size, with perfect centre, erect on long, strong stems ; easy grower and a first-class variety in every way. 7/6.....	3
810 JUPITER , a very beautiful "fancy" variety ; pink, with distinct yellow base, striped and splashed bright crimson ; perfect form, incurved narrow florets, deep full centre, strong healthy grower, and very free. A.M., R.H.S. 7/6.....	3½
913 NUBIAN , rich dark maroon ; a great improvement on "H. J. Jackson" ; carrying its florets more upright than that variety ; very fine in every respect. 7/6	2

CACTUS DAHLIAS.**New Varieties for 1910—continued.**

No.	Height—Ft.
923 PENGUIN , bright gold, of perfect form ; erect on stout upright stems ; very beautiful flower in every respect equally good for exhibition or garden culture. 6/-	3
925 PRIMA DONNA , white, with a slight tinge of cream in young florets, a large incurved flower of fine form ; excellent habit, very free. 7/6.....	4½
930 QUIMBO , rich crimson maroon ; a magnificent dark-coloured flower with narrow incurving florets ; strong grower, and wonderfully free ; very fine. A.M., R.H.S. ; F.C.C., N.D.S. 7/6.....	4
940 RED ADMIRAL , rich fiery scarlet of largest size, full centre ; a splendid exhibition flower ; undoubtedly one of the finest of recent introduction. A.M., R.H.S. ; F.C.C., N.D.S. 7/6	5
961 THE LANCER , rich scarlet, narrow florets, full centre, on stiff erect stems ; a splendid garden variety ; wonderfully free in bloom. 5/-	4
966 UNA , delicate rose pink, shading to silvery rose, almost white at the base ; florets long, narrow, and moderately incurved, divided along one-fourth of their length into two or three portions, giving the flower a novel appearance ; good habit, constant, and free. 7/6 each	3½
988 YELLOW GIANT , a beautiful clear bright yellow, a large flower of splendid form, with long straight petals ; very fine in every way. 7/6.....	4

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CACTUS DAHLIAS.**General Collection—continued.**

No.		Height—Ft.
†678	A. D. Stoop , crimson-scarlet, incurving petals; stiff erect stem; a grand variety. A.M., R.H.S.	3
†673	Alexander , dark crimson, flushed maroon; fine habit. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M.	3
674	Alice Mortimer , pale orange-scarlet; free.....	3
671	Allight , rich fiery orange, centre deep orange. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.....	3
675	AMBER QUEEN , rich pure amber, large, with good centre, freely produced on long stiff stems. 6d. each	4
†677	Amos Perry , vivid velvety crimson; of good form and substance; a magnificent variety for garden effect	3½
†684	Australlan , rich purple, large; very fine. 6d.....	3
681	Autumn Glory , yellow, deeper colour than Mrs. J. J. CROWE	4
†683	AVOCA , rich rosy-crimson, shaded scarlet; large, fine form, incurving florets, erect habit; fine. 6d.	3½
686	Beacon , bright fiery crimson, on long stout stems; incurving florets	5
*690	BRIGADIER , bright crimson, base and outer petals scarlet crimson, long and incurving; a large, full flower of great beauty; constant and free. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., L.D.U. 1/- each.....	3
691	Brilliant , bright crimson, incurved florets, fine centre	4
692	Britannia , delicate soft salmon-pink, base of petals brownish apricot	3
*697	Caradoc , yellow; a very fine effective flower, of good form and outline.....	5
*700	CELIA , rich pink, tipped blush, centre rosy blush, with greenish base; fine form; good grower; free. 6d.	3½
*698	C. E. WILKINS , a beautiful shade of clear salmon-pink, overlaying yellow. F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	5
699	Charm , base of petals yellow, passing through red to white at the margin and tips; free.....	3
694	C. H. CURTIS , rich scarlet-crimson, large and full, with long, claw-like incurving petals. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	5
706	CLARA , soft mauve, tipped white, with faint edgings of mauve; incurving florets, medium size. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S. 6d.....	3½
695	Cloth of Silver , silvery pink, centre petals white, with a picotee edge.....	3
707	Cockatoo , clear canary-yellow, passing to a pale fawn towards the outside of the flower; each floret is heavily tipped pure white.....	4

CACTUS DAHLIAS.

General Collection—continued.

No.	Height—Ft.
703 Comet , silvery rose, speckled and striped crimson; evenly incurved. F.C.C., N.D.S.	4
705 Conrad , terra-cotta red; long, narrow petals.....	3
709 Columbla , vermillion, tipped white.....	4
702 Countess of Kenmare , amber and salmon, tipped cream; very fine. 6d.....	3½
708 Countess of Lonsdale , salmon, tinted carmine.....	3
712 Crepuscle , pale orange-yellow, outer petals deepening to amber-buff; early, constant, and free....	3
710 Curiosity , soft scarlet, with yellow base.....	3
†711 CYNTHIA , old gold, shaded pale red, centre and tips bright yellow, incurving florets; the blooms are carried on long wiry stems well above the foliage. A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	3
717 D. A. Dunbar , scarlet; very fine effective flower....	4
†713 Dainty , lemon-yellow, paling with age, tinged with rose-pink in the centre of the petal, tipped gold. A.M., R.H.S.; F.C.C., N.D.S.....	3½
716 Daisy Easton , deep rich yellow; a better variety than "Mrs. J. J. Crowe".....	3
714 Delight , pale pink, yellow centre; long stems; constant and free	4
†718 Diavolo , yellow, passing to white at the base; upper portion of petal suffused rose; splashed, speckled, and striped with chocolate and crimson. F.C.C., N.D.S.	3½
720 DOROTHY , lovely silvery pink, tipped white on reverse of petals; of good size, deep, and well formed. F.C.C.'s, N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each	4½
723 DR. G. G. GRAY , fiery crimson scarlet; narrow, incurving, needle-pointed florets. F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	4½
†725 ECLAIR , bright orange-scarlet; good habit, free; fine for garden decoration. 6d. each.....	3½
†729 ELECTRIC , clear yellow, tipped white; of upright habit, carrying its flowers well above the foliage; very fine. 1/6	5
†727 Effective , amber, rose-coloured centre.....	3
730 ELSA ELRICH , pearly white, slightly tinged blush when young; florets long, narrow, and tapering; excellent habit; free. A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each....	3

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No.	Height—Ft.
731 ELSIE TURNER , fawn, base of petals orange-yellow ; centre when opening bright salmon ; a large, fine flower with long petals ; a fine variety. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S. 1/- each	2½
737 Epopee , carmine, with deeper shading, crimson centre, large, long narrow petals ; free.....	3½
735 ETRURIA , reddish russet-apricot, brightening towards the centre ; fine form. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	5
736 Eva , purest white ; regular incurving petals.....	4½
743 Fairy , ivory-white ; petals long and narrow, gracefully incurved ; dwarf ; free. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U. ; also A.M., R.H.S.....	3
*741 Faunus , soft yellowish buff, shaded and tipped salmon, salmon centre, petals long, slightly incurving. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S.....	3½
†745 Fireworks , clear canary yellow, blotched crimson ; very fine. 6d.	4½
747 Flag of Truce , pure white, long narrow pointed florets ; a superb variety.....	3½
748 FLAME , orange-scarlet, rich and attractive, florets long and elegantly twisted, perfect centre, free and continuous. F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U. ; also A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	4
†750 FLASH , scarlet, a pretty flower ; a splendid garden variety. 1/6	5
†749 FLORA , buff, suffused with pink and tipped white ; florets long, narrow, and incurving ; a very distinct and pretty early-flowering variety. 1/6 each....	3
751 Florence M. Stredwick , pure white. A.M., R.H.S.....	3
763 George Gordon , centre clear yellow, outer florets shaded orange-bronze. F.C.C., N.D.S. ; A.M., R.H.S.	3½
*766 GLORY OF WILTS , bright golden yellow, of largest size and finest quality ; a superb flower in every way. 1/- each	5
†767 Glow , yellow, suffused and tipped apricot ; long narrow petals ; large, free.....	3
769 Harbour Light , vivid orange-red, overlaid at the tips of the florets with flame ; profuse bloomer. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U. ; also A.M., R.H.S. ..	3½
*770 HAROLD PEERMAN , deep pure yellow, slightly incurving ; of large size and good depth. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	4
*773 HELIUM , bright yellow centre, deepening to reddish orange ; long narrow incurving florets ; free. 6d. each	5

CACTUS DAHLIAS.

General Collection—continued.

No.		Height—Ft.
774	HERON , soft orange-scarlet, shaded yellow at the base; a large attractive flower. 6d. each....	4
782	H. J. Jones , centre delicate primrose, shading to rosy pink	4½
781	H. Shoesmith , brilliant scarlet-crimson, florets long, narrow; excellent habit. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.....	3
780	Hyacinth , petals yellow at base, shading to mauve-pink, incurving at the tips. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S.	4½
794	Innovation , centre of petals rich crimson, the remainder pure white	5
796	Ivanhoe , deep, yet bright straw-yellow, long narrow petals. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S.....	3
793	IVERNIA , beautiful shade of bright salmon-fawn, with lighter centre, of immense size. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	5
797	J. B. Bryant , bright clear golden-yellow, paler towards the tips; a large, bold flower.....	4
*801	J. B. Ridding , rich yellow at the base shading to deep orange, tinged apricot on the outer florets. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S. ..	3½
802	J. H. Jackson , brilliant crimson-maroon, almost black	3
804	John Burn , deep bright crimson; petals quilled and pointed.....	3½
806	John E. Knight , salmon-pink, shaded yellow at the base	3
812	J. W. Wilkinson , deep rosy crimson; large.....	3
814	Kathleen Bryant , deep velvety crimson, of perfect form; long, narrow florets; very fine.....	4
820	Kriemhilde , centre petals creamy white, passing to pink as they become older.....	3
†831	Lustre , scarlet-vermilion, large; free.....	3½
834	Mabel Needs , orange-scarlet, shaded crimson, slightly tinted plum on the reverse side.....	3½
*846	MARATHON , yellow centre, shading off to rosy carmine, and tipped white; of largest size; florets pointed slightly and evenly incurving; vigorous grower, free bloomer. A.M., R.H.S. 1/- each	4
851	MAUVE QUEEN , clear mauve, lighter towards the centre; distinct and beautiful. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	3

CACTUS DAHLIAS.**General Collection—continued.**

No.		Height—Ft.
†852	MERCURY , a pretty "fancy," ground colour deep yellow at the base, paling towards the tips, thickly striped, splashed and speckled crimson; free. F.C.C., L.D.U. 6d. each	2½
†853	Meteor , white ground, splashed, striped and spotted with violet-purple; of uniform size, with incurving petals; good stem; excellent habit; free. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S.	3½
856	Minnie West , clear yellow, shading to white tips....	5
858	Miss Brownhill , coppery orange; long narrow incurved petals	3½
*864	MONARCH , bright bronzy-red with bright yellow centre, long narrow florets slightly incurving; a large, bold, distinct flower; good grower; free bloomer. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S. 1/- each	3
865	Morning Glow , bright yellow, with soft tints of amber; good form; stout stems	3
870	Mrs. ALFRED DYER , pale lemon centre, shading to a soft tint of rosy pink paling to almost white at the tips; a soft and pleasing colour; long, narrow, incurving florets; dwarf and free; a first-class variety in every way. F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U. 1/- each	4
†881	Mrs. Cozens , maroon, each floret margined and tipped white; a lovely flower of fine form	5
886	Mrs. Ed. Mawley , clear yellow. A.M., R.H.S.; F.C.C., N.D.S.	4½
†889	Mrs. F. Grinstead , deep rich crimson, slight purplish shading; large; excellent habit. F.C.C., N.D.S....	3
884	Mrs. George Stevenson , bright sparkling yellow; large, perfect form; long narrow petals. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.	5
885	Mrs. C. H. Kerslake , fawn-yellow, suffused rose-pink	3
†893	Mrs. H. L. Brousson , delicate salmon on a pale yellow ground; finest incurved form, good depth	2
896	Mrs. J. J. Crowe , clear canary-yellow; long, stiff stems	4½
†899	Mrs. J. S. Brunton , deepest yellow; long incurved florets; stiff stems	4
903	Mrs. J. W. Wilkinson , deep rosy pink; petals long and incurving	4½
*904	Mrs. Macmillan , centre white, passing to a deep pink at tips and on old petals; incurved; free. A.M., R.H.S.; F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.	4

CACTUS DAHLIAS.**General Collection—continued.**

No.		Height—Ft.
†906	Mrs. Seale , deep rich crimson, tipped with flesh-pink; large; fine for garden decoration.....	3
905	Mrs. Stranack Gasgill , a delicate and beautiful shade of pink; of large size and fine form.....	3
*909	MRS. W. BAXTER , crimson; very large, of finest form; early and very free. 6d.....	4
907	Mrs. W. H. Raby , cream, a very beautiful flower of perfect form; fine in every way.....	4
910	Mrs. Winstanley , yellow disc, shading to soft scarlet	3
†911	NELLIE RIDING , deep crimson, tipped white, large and of finest form; excellent habit, and very free; a splendid variety either for exhibition or garden decoration. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S. 1/- each	4
914	Night , one of the darkest varieties.....	4
915	Northern Star , crimson-scarlet; large; effective....	4
*916	Nelson , rich crimson, shading to bright magenta; petals long, narrow, and curling; free. A.M., R.H.S.; F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.	5
912	Oscar , deep orange, shaded and tipped bright crimson; long incurved florets; free.....	3
921	Pearl , rosy pearly pink, tipped pearly white. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S.	3
917	Pink Pearl , tint of rich rosy pink, centre florets and extreme tips blush-white.....	4
918	Pink Perfection , rosy-pink, of large size, long narrow petals. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S.....	2½
†920	Primrose , light sulphur-yellow, of large size and great depth. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S... ..	4½
922	Prince of Orange , orange or old gold, shaded yellow	4
931	Queen Alexandra , soft salmon and pink; distinct..	3
932	Radium , bright orange, suffused rose, bright yellow at base of florets, neatly incurved. A.M., R.H.S.	3
933	Rainbow , soft pink with lighter disc	4½
934	Raymond Parks , deepest crimson. A.M., R.H.S... ..	3
937	Recam , deep maroon and rich dark crimson, long narrow fluted petals; large, perfect form.....	5
*†935	REV. A. BRIDGE , bright clear yellow, heavily tipped and suffused with bright yet deep rose-pink; excellent habit; free. F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	3½

CACTUS DAHLIAS.

General Collection—continued.

No.		Height—Ft.
*936	Rev. Arthur Hall , ruby-crimson, showing the lighter tinge of the reverse colouring. Silver Medal and F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S....	5
*938	REV. T. W. JAMIESON , yellow centre, passing to lilac-rose as the petals become older, edged deeper and tipped yellow; a novel and pleasing combination of colours; a large flower with moderately incurving florets; free, good grower. F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U. 1/- each.....	4½
*943	Ruby Grinstead , centre soft yellow, suffused a rich shade of rosy fawn; the outer incurving petals have a light salmon-pink reverse. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S.....	3
*944	SATISFACTION , a beautiful shade of rose-pink, almost white in the centre, florets long, narrow, incurving, and intermingling; a lovely flower; free and continuous. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U. 1/- each.....	4
†946	SATURN , white at base, deepening to pink at the tips, striped, speckled and splashed with vermillion-scarlet; narrow incurving pointed florets. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each.....	3
945	SAXONIA , deep crimson, large and well formed, on long stiff stems; a magnificent, richly coloured flower; robust grower, free bloomer. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S. 1/- each.....	4½
948	Sheriff Henderson , bright rosy salmon; finely twisted petals.....	4
949	Slough Rival , bright crimson; long, pointed petals	3
†951	Sirius , bright golden-yellow ground, heavily striped with vivid scarlet; petals long and narrow.....	4
*†950	SNOWDON , purest white; a large flower with long narrow florets; stems long and wiry; excellent habit, free. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U. 1/6 each.....	5
951A	SNOWDRIFT , pure white, long narrow florets; a large flower with good centre, sturdy habit, very free; a fine variety in every way. 6d. each....	2
*941	SNOWSTORM , white, a large flower of fine form; dwarf, sturdy habit; very free; a fine exhibition variety. 1/6.....	3
953	Splitfire , bright scarlet.....	3

CACTUS DAHLIAS.

General Collection—continued.

No.	Height—Ft.
†956 STALWART , intense bright rich crimson-scarlet; upright habit; awarded XXX at the R.H.S. Gardens; superb for garden effect. 1/- each..	3
954 Standard Bearer , bright scarlet.....	3
†955 Star , bright bronzy yellow; florets slightly incurving; free. F.C.C., L.D.U.....	4
*942 STORMER , deep scarlet, a lovely flower, quite distinct from other varieties; very fine in every way. 1/6	5
957 Sunshine , deep rosy carmine at points of the petals, passing to almost white. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S.....	3
962 TEUTONIC , amaranth-crimson, with ruby-red shading; a neat flower with regularly and evenly incurving florets; good grower and free. A.M., R.H.S. 1/- each	3
963 THE BRIDE , purest white, of medium size, carried on stiff wiry stems. F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S. 6d. each	3½
958 The Pilot , base of florets deep yellow, merging to bright terra-cotta at the tips.....	3½
964 Thomas Parkin , light terra-cotta, of large size and perfect form; florets narrow and incurved.....	2½
965 Thomas Wilson , reddish fawn, suffused amber; florets long and narrow.....	4
959 Tinted Queen , carmine and yellow, in a lovely combination of charming tints; long stem; good..	3
960 Uncle Tom , a seedling from "NIGHT"—in many cases it is even darker than its parent.....	3
967 VEDETTE , scarlet-crimson tipped white, giving a very distinct and beautiful effect; free. 1/- each....	4
968 Vesuvius , pure yellow, striped and speckled deep crimson	3
†972 Victorian , pinkish white, striped and speckled crimson and purple. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S.	4½
973 Victory , intense fiery red, long slender claw-like petals; very fine	3
*974 WELLINGTON , bright glowing crimson-scarlet, shaded purple towards the tips; of good size, incurving form, and produced on long stems. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S. 1/- each....	4½
†977 Westhall Scarlet , a very fine scarlet-flowered variety. 6d.	3

CACTUS DAHLIAS.**General Collection—continued.**

No.		Height—Ft.
976	White Mrs. Crowe , white, faintly tinged primrose at the base of the florets.....	4
*982	William Marshall , rich orange, bright yellow centre; large. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S.	5
984	Winsome , white, with faint tinge of yellowish green towards the bases of the centre petals. A.M., R.H.S.; F.C.C., N.D.S.	4
993	Zoe , pure white, greenish centre, large, long, narrow, slightly incurved florets. F.C.C., N.D.S.....	3½

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Single Cactus Dahlias.

In this lovely type, the petals, instead of being round as in the ordinary Singles, are long, beautifully twisted, and more or less pointed, approximating in these respects to the petals of the Double Cactus. The great variety of colour, and the extreme delicacy of the artistic shades, combined with the lightness and grace of the flowers, make them the best adapted of all the group for cutting purposes, and particularly for table and room decoration generally.

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No.		Height—Ft.
1654	Bruce , pale lemon, beautiful shade	3
1658½	Earl of Ravenswood , rich pleasing shade of old gold	3
1664	Ivanhoe , bright rose, crimson band round centre....	2½
1665	Jennie Deans , orange-scarlet, deep red at tips.....	2½
1667	Lady Clare , scarlet, shading to magenta at tips; incurving	3½
1668	Lady Rowena , sulphur, tipped salmon rose.....	3
1669	Lucy Bertram , yellow ground, flushed crimson tips	2½
1670	Marmion , glowing crimson-scarlet.....	3
1672	Meg Merrillees , beautiful clear yellow	3
1680	Queen Mary , purest white, with pale yellow disc....	3
1681	Sir Walter , rose-pink, with a deep orange disc.....	3

Bedding and Decorative Dahlias.

This class of Dahlia is characterised by its strong, vigorous, yet somewhat compact habit, and the remarkable freedom with which they produce their bloom. They are particularly well adapted for garden decoration, bedding, and cutting.



[Photo.]

DECORATIVE DAHLIA.

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No.		Height—Ft.
1080	Camelliæflora , pure white; fine form.....	2½
1082	Cannell's Gem , soft orange-red shade; small and neat	4

BEDDING AND DECORATIVE DAHLIAS —continued.

No.		Height—Ft.
1084	Crawley Gem , rich crimson-scarlet ; fine for cutting	3
1088	Crimson Queen , velvety crimson.....	2½
1105	Glare of the Garden , brilliant scarlet.....	2
1090	Mrs. C. Turner , bright yellow ; extra large flowers..	3
1100	Miss Webster , pure white ; one of the best.....	3
1152	Oldfield Badder , bright scarlet.....	2
1161	Princess Ena , yellowish orange or amber ; free ..	3
1237	Sallsbury White , white ; invaluable for cutting....	4
1246	SEA SHELL , lovely shell-pink, shading to blush at the tips ; a very beautiful flower, of Camellia form, produced on stiff stems. 9d. each	3

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Single Dahlias.

This section of Dahlias possesses a beauty that is inseparable from a single flower of any family of plants. The blooms may be used for a variety of purposes for which the larger or double-flowered kinds would not be available. The varieties generally are of good habit, inclining to dwarfness ; they are also very profuse bloomers.

NEW VARIETIES FOR 1910.

Raisers' Descriptions.

No.		Height—Ft.
1314	CALEDONIA , rich satiny fawn, with a bright disc of brownish crimson, good shape, stiff wiry stems, constant and free ; fine for garden or exhibition. 5/-	3½
1498	Mrs. W. W. MERRY , vivid slenna orange paling toward the tips ; a beautiful exhibition variety with slightly reflexed petals ; very free ; F.C.C., N.D.S. 5/-	3

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Varieties marked (†) are **specially recommended** by the **National Dahlia Society** as being the **best sorts for garden decoration.**

No.

Height—Ft.

†*1306 **Beauty's Eye**, mauve, with crimson ring..... 3½

SINGLE DAHLIAS.

General Collection—continued.

No.		Height—Ft.
1307	Beauty of Sevenoaks , gold, striped and splashed crimson	3½
1310	BETTY , a lovely shade of rosy lilac, with dark crimson zone round the centre, florets smooth and of perfect form; dwarf, compact habit. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C.'s, N.D.S. and L.D.U. 1/- ..	3
*†1311	BRILLIANT , rich crimson-scarlet, with a yellow zone round the centre; florets smooth and slightly recurved, circular outline. F.C.C., L.D.U. 6d. each	4
1312	Chilwell Beauty , crimson, broad band of yellow down centre of each petal.....	3
†*1317	Columbine , rose, shaded orange.....	3½
1318	CORONATA , a new species from Mexico, producing single orange-scarlet fragrant flowers; free growing and free blooming, carrying the flowers on long stiff stems; a fine species for garden decoration or for cutting; quite unique. 1/- each	4
*1320	Darkness , rich crimson-maroon. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U.; also A.M., R.H.S.....	3
1335	Duchess of Westminster , pure white.....	4
1340	Duke of York , orange-scarlet, yellow ring round disc	3
1347	Eric , flame colour, margined rose.....	3
*1343	Eclipse , rosy mauve and salmon, broad crimson ring round the disc.....	3
1354	Etoile de Lyon , pure white, streaked lilac.....	3
†1364	Formosa , rich crimson, golden centre.....	4
1373	Fred Leslie , red, tipped white; free.....	4
*1379	Fugi San , rich orange-yellow, brilliant crimson ring round the centre; free. F.C.C., L.D.U., and A.M., R.H.S.	3½
†*1420	Kitty , rosy mauve, crimson ring at base of florets; free. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U.; A.M., R.H.S.	3
1424	LADY BOUNTIFUL , rich mauve with broad disc of brightest crimson, of perfect shape, with slightly reflexed petals; good stems, carrying the flowers well above the foliage; free. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S. 1/-	3½
†*1428	Leslie Seale , silvery lilac, with crimson disc.....	3
1435	Lucy Gray , beautiful soft mauve; distinct and good	4
1437	Lutea Grandiflora , rich clear yellow.....	3

SINGLE DAHLIAS.

General Collection—continued.

No.		Height—Ft
*1440	Madonna , soft pink, deep crimson ring at base of petals ; perfect shape.	3½
1442	Maid of Athens , old gold, tipped flesh.	4
1447	Mauve Queen, Improved , mauve self ; large petals	4
1450	Mavourneen , rich petunia, regularly and evenly tipped mauve ; perfect form. F.C.C., N.D.S.	3
†*1452	Mikado , bright yellow, broad zone of glowing red at the base of petals, margined red. F.C.C., N.D.S. and L.D.U. ; also A.M., R.H.S.	3
*1460	Miss Morland , crimson-scarlet.	4
1480	Miss Ramsbottom , lovely pink ; very dwarf.	2
†*1483	Miss Roberts , clear yellow.	3½
†1496	MRS. J. TAIT , dazzling scarlet, with a bright yellow disc ; of medium size, good form and well recurved ; dark metallic foliage. 6d. each.	3
1501	Naomi Tighe , yellow, with orange ring.	3½
1520	Oldfield Beauty , golden orange, crimson ring round the base of petals.	3½
1528	Paragon , rich dark velvety maroon, shaded purple	4
*1533	PEGGY , base of petals rich rosy crimson, passing through orange to purplish rose at the tips ; dwarf, compact habit. 6d. each.	2½
†1535	Polly Eccles , satiny fawn, with red disc.	3
†*1537	Princess of Wales , pink, shaded heliotrope.	3
1542	Scarlet Defiance , rich scarlet.	4
1548	SEVEN OAKS WHITE , purest white, perfectly formed, slightly reflexed, on long erect stems ; very free, dwarf and compact habit. 6d. each	3
†*1552	Snowdrop , white, with primrose ring. F.C.C., N.D.S., and A.M., R.H.S.	4
†1556	Stromboli , blackish maroon, tipped white ; novel and distinct. A.M., R.H.S., and F.C.C., N.D.S.	4
1564	Terra-cotta , a lovely tint.	4½
1568	The Bride , pure white.	3
1578	Victoria , white, margined dark crimson.	3
1581	White Queen , white ; for border decoration or cutting.	3
†*1585	WINONA , rich deep maroon, almost black ; the darkest single Dahlia yet raised ; perfect shape and outline ; dwarf, free, and of good habit. F.C.C., L.D.U. 1/-	3

Pæony-flowered Dahlias.

AN ENTIRELY NEW AND DISTINCT RACE.



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PÆONY-FLOWERED DAHLIA.

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The flowers produced by this family of Dahlias are quite dissimilar from all others ; of large size, measuring from 6 to 8 inches in diameter, with stout petals of great breadth, many of them being slightly twisted ; a second (in some cases three

PÆONY-FLOWERED DAHLIAS— continued.

and four) row of somewhat smaller petals, frequently more twisted, is developed in many of the flowers. The colours cover a wide range of selfs and intermediate shades; the habit of the plant is robust and vigorous, with large, bold foliage. They usually attain a height of about five feet; every flower standing upon a long stiff stem, well above the foliage.

Our selection of the following, 4/6 per dozen.

No.	Height—Ft.
1031 CRIMSON GEM , deep crimson, a richly coloured flower of large size and fine form; excellent habit and a free bloomer; one of the best. 1/- each.	4
1039 Duke Henry , dark rosy red; four rows of petals, twisting backwards; very free. 6d. each.....	4½
1045 Germania , crimson-scarlet; a bold and effective flower, produced in abundance; dwarf habit. 6d. each	3
1048 Glory of Baarn , rose-coloured flowers, 8 inches in diameter; very fine. 6d. each.....	4
1050 GUARDSMAN , crimson, a beautiful and effective colour; the flowers are large and freely produced on good stems; very fine. 1/- each	4
1053 Hugo de Vries , orange-brown flowers, carried on strong stems, dwarf growing; very free; distinct. 6d. each.	3½
1056 La Riente , pink, carried on long strong stems; a very beautiful flower. One of the finest. 6d. each....	4
1058 Paul Kruger , white, marked red, with three rows of petals; a fine flower carried on good stems. 6d. each	4
1060 PRINCESS , white, heavily edged deep rose; a very pretty flower of good form; very free and effective. 1/- each	4
1062 P. W. Jansen , rosy salmon, suffused yellow, a very fine flower of attractive colour; good grower and free. 9d. each	5
1064 Queen Emma , salmon-red, shaded lilac; three or more rows of petals; very free. 6d. each.....	5
1066 Queen Wilhelmina , pure white, of beautiful form, very large; free blooming. 6d. each.....	4

PÆONY-FLOWERED DAHLIAS— continued.

No.	Height—Ft.
1068 THE COUNTESS , pink, a very beautiful and effective colour; an improvement on the variety " <i>La Riante</i> "; highly recommended. 1/- each	4
1070 THE QUEEN , rose, a clear, distinct, and charming colour; a wonderfully free-blooming variety that will be very popular. 1/- each	4
1072 WHITE EMPRESS , pure white; an improvement on " <i>Queen Wilhelmina</i> "; of good form and substance; good grower and free bloomer. 1/- each.	4

Collarette Dahlias.

A NEW TYPE.

The flowers of these varieties are flat and expanded like a Single variety, but possess two whorls of florets, the inner whorl being much smaller than the outer, and forming a species of collar round the disc. The two whorls are usually entirely dissimilar in colour, and form a striking contrast.

- 1808 **JOSEPH GOUJON**, outer petals rich carmine, surrounding an inner whorl of yellow; charming and attractive. 6d. each.
- 1818 **PRESIDENT VIGER**, white collar resting upon an outer whorl of crimson petals; very beautiful. 6d. each.

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We have spared no pains, trouble, or expense in our endeavours to make our collection of Dahlias as complete and representative as possible. Our aim has been not to include every known variety, but to keep and add only those of real merit showing an improvement on older varieties. This has necessitated the trial of innumerable sorts, many of which have been discarded owing to their not reaching the high standard of merit necessary to justify their inclusion in our collection.

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NOTE.—Any variety of "bedding" or other plant not included in this List, we shall be pleased to supply, if in commerce, at current prices.

BEDDING PLANTS

Alphabetical List.

COMPRISING: FOLIAGE AND FLOWERING ANNUALS,
HARDY AND HALF-HARDY PERENNIALS, SUB-
TROPICAL, CARPET-BEDDING, AND DOT PLANTS.

(a) Indicates **Annual**; (h) **Hardy**; (c) **Suitable for Carpet Bedding**.

Abutilon, useful and effective for sub-tropical bedding, and as "dot" plants.

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|---|---|--|
| <p>„ Triomphe de Quedinburg (syn. <i>Sawitzii</i>)
foliage prettily variegated ivory and
green; dwarf habit</p> <p>„ Thompsonii, foliage mottled bright
yellow and green</p> <p>„ vexillarium variegatum, green and
ivory-white foliage; very pretty..</p> | } | <p>Young plants
in 3in. pots,
3/- per doz.;
strong, fine
plants, in
4½in. pots,
6/- and 9/-
per doz.</p> |
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For other varieties see our List of Indoor Plants.

Agathæa cœlestis, produces charming azure-blue marguerite-like flowers. 4d. each; 3/6 per doz.

Agave americana, a well-known plant of striking appearance; excellent for "dot" purposes or sub-tropical bedding. 1/- to 3/6 each.

„ „ **variegata**, a pretty variety, with golden variegated leaves. 1/6 to 5/- each.

AGERATUM CANNELLS DWARF, bright lavender-blue flowers; dwarf and compact

„ **COUNTESS OF STAIR**, lavender-blue; very free blooming; compact, and of dwarf habit.....

„ **THE ZOO**, violet blue; a very fine effective colour

„ **WHITE CAP**, pure white; a charming contrast to the blue.....

In 2½ in. pots,
3d. each, 2/-
per doz.; out
of boxes, 1/-
per doz., 6/-
per 100.

h c **Ajuga reptans atropurpurea**, rich bronzy-purple leaves. 3d. each; 2/6 doz.; 12/- per 100.

h c „ „ **fol. var.**, leaves margined ivory, flowers blue. 3d. each; 2/6 per doz.; 12/- per 100.

Aloysia citriodora, the well-known Lemon-scented Verbena. 4d. and 6d. each; 3/- and 4/6 per doz. **Standard** trained plants on 18in. to 24in. stems, with good heads. 2/6 to 3/6 each. Stock limited.

ALTERNANTHERAS.—Beautifully coloured foliage; compact habit; excellent for carpet bedding.

c **AMÆNA SPECTABILIS**, magenta rose foliage, very fine.....

c **AUREA NANA**, bright golden foliage, dwarf, free-growing variety

c **MAGNIFICA**, bronze-red; free grower....

c **PARONYCHOIDES AUREA**, golden yellow foliage; free grower.....

c **ROSEA NANA**, deep pink or rose; a charming and beautiful contrast to *aurea nana*

c **VERSICOLOR GRANDIS**, mottled rose and crimson; vigorous habit; effective variety

In 2½ in. pots,
3d. each, 2/6
per doz., 15/-
per 100. In
boxes, each
box contain-
ing fifty
plants, 3/-
per box.

h c **Antennaria candida**, a densely carpeting silver-leaved plant, rarely exceeding 1in. in height; excellent for edging or division lines. 2d. each; 1/6 per doz.; 10/- per 100.

h **ANTIRRHINUMS**, finest mixed. 6d. per score; 2/- per 100; in pots, 1/6 per doz.

For named varieties see our List of Herbaceous Plants.

- h Arabis albidula* fl. pl., fol. var., a beautiful form of the double-flowered *Arabis*, the margins of the leaves being prettily variegated with creamy white; quite as hardy and free blooming as the green-leaved variety. 4d. each; 3/6 per doz.

Other varieties of *Arabis* will be found on page 65.

- Aralla Sieboldii** (*Fatsia japonica*), large, handsome, glossy-green foliage; excellent sub-tropical plant. 4d., 6d., 9d., and 1/- each; 3/-, 4/6, 6/-, and 9/- per doz.

- „ „ fol. var., similar to above, but the leaves are prettily variegated cream. 1/6 to 2/6 each.

<i>a</i>	ASTERS, VICTORIA, mixed	} Strong young plants, thoroughly hardened off, 4d. and 6d. per score; 1/6 and 2/- per 100.
<i>a</i>	„ „ white	
<i>a</i>	„ HOHENZOLLERN, white	
<i>a</i>	„ „ pink	
<i>a</i>	„ MIGNON, white	
<i>a</i>	„ QUEEN OF THE MARKET,		
	very early white	
<i>a</i>	„ „ „ mixed	
<i>a</i>	„ COMET, mixed	
<i>a</i>	„ „ white	
<i>a</i>	„ SINENSIS, the beautiful single-flowered form; in two colours, hellotrope and pink	

- h Auriculas-Alpine varieties*, strong plants; mixed. 2/- per doz.; 12/- per 100.

Begonia. The following are the best varieties for bedding purposes that have as yet been introduced. In districts favourable to the growth of Begonias there is no other class of plant that makes such a good display or gives greater pleasure.

All are tuberous rooted except where otherwise stated.

- „ **Argus** (new) (A.M., R.H.S.), bright scarlet, double; carried well above the foliage; dwarf habit, vigorous grower. 1/- each; 9/- per doz.
- „ **Crimson Gem** (*Semperflorens* type), rich red flowers; crimson-bronze foliage; height 1ft.; a fine variety. 3/- per doz.

Begonia—continued.

- „ **Duke Zeppelin** (*Count Zeppelin*), rich scarlet, double, and almost erect, metallic-coloured foliage. Exceedingly free, dwarf, and bushy. Blooms from early summer to late autumn. 6d. each; 3/6 per doz.
- „ **Fairy Queen** (*Semperflorens type*), producing rosy-carmine flowers with the utmost freedom; dwarf and compact. 3/- per doz.; 20/- per 100.
- „ **Gladateur**, crimson, dwarf, and free; the finest of its colour. 1/- each; 9/- per doz.
- „ **Lafayette**, rich scarlet, perfect form, very free, fine. 9d. each; 6/- per doz.
- „ **Lord Langton**, vivid crimson, free, very effective. 1/- each; 10/- per doz.
- „ **Washington** (new) (A.M., R.H.S.), double, bright scarlet flowers, contrasting well against the bright dark green foliage, giving a dazzling and beautiful effect; wonderfully tenacious and lasting; dwarf habit, rarely exceeding 9in. in height. We know of no Bedding Begonia more free, beautiful, or effective than this superb variety. In 3in. pots, 1/- each, 7/6 per doz.; in 4½in. pots, 10/6 and 12/6 per doz.
- „ **Worthiana**, rich orange-coloured single flowers. 4d. each; 3/6 per doz.
- „ **Vernon** (*Semperflorens type*), brilliant red flowers, dark bronzy foliage, very free. 3/- per doz.
- „ „ **Compacta**, a dwarf-growing compact form of above. 3/- per doz.
- „ **Single Tuberous**, our own superb strain; splendid bedding subjects. Tubers in 3in. pots in growth, to colour. **Crimson, Scarlet, White, Yellow, Bronze, Pink, Dark Rose, Blush, or Salmon.** 3/6 per doz; 25/- per 100. **Mixed Colours**, 3/- per doz.; 20/- per 100.
- „ **Double Tuberous**, choicest mixed colours. 3/- per doz.; 21/- per 100.
- a **Beet**, „**Dell's Black**,” rich dark bronze-red foliage; an excellent and useful plant for bedding purposes. 6d per score; 2/6 per 100.

	Strong Transplanted.		In pots.	
	Per doz. s. d.	Per 100. s. d.	Each. s. d.	Per doz. s. d.
CALCEOLARIA AMPLEXICAULIS , soft yellow flowers, very free; 12ln. to 18ln. in height	—	—	0 4	3 6
„ AUREA FLORBUNDA , one of the best yellow bedders	1 6	10 0	0 3	2 0
„ CALIFORNIA , lemon yellow flowers, dwarf habit; very free	—	—	0 4	3 0
„ GAMDEN HERO , flowers dark bronze	2 0	12 0	0 3	2 0
„ GOLDEN GEM , fine yellow	1 6	10 0	0 3	2 0

Cannas, effective gorgeous-flowered plants with bold, striking foliage; excellent for sub-tropical gardening; green or bronze-foliaged varieties to name; our selection, 6/-, 9/-, and 12/- per doz.

For List of named varieties see our Catalogue of Indoor Plants.

h Carnations, Selfs, Cloves, and Fancies, to name. **Our selection**, 4/6, 6/-, and 9/- per doz.; 30/-, 40/-, to 60/- per 100.

h „ unnamed varietles, for massing, 3/- per doz.; 20/- per 100.

For full List of named varieties see our Carnation Catalogue.

a „ “Marguerite,” strong young plants in 2½in. pots. 2/6 per doz.

a Celosia. In sheltered and favoured localities these make excellent bedding subjects. Our strain has become famous for brilliancy of colour and size of plume, together with compactness of habit; strong plants, red or yellow, in 3in. pots, 3/- per doz.

Centaurea ragusina compacta, a silver-leaved plant of robust habit and rapid growth. 3d. each; 2/- per doz.

h c **Cerastium arvense**, green; forms a dense carpet. 2d. each; 1/6 per doz.; 8/- per 100.

h c **blebersteinii**, foliage and flower rather larger than above. 2d. each; 1/6 per doz.; 8/- per 100.

Chrysanthemums, Early-flowering Perennial Varieties. Embrace a wide range of colours; for cutting purposes and decorative effect they are unsurpassed. Our selection, 2/- per doz. **Special Spring Offer**, free on request.

a **Annual varieties**, free flowering; excellent for cutting. 4d. and 6d. per score; 1/6 and 2/- per 100.

a **Inodorum "Bridal Robe,"** pure white double flowers, beautifully cut foliage. 6d. each; 4/6 per doz.

h **maximum**, easily grown; free flowering; best varieties for cutting. 3/- per doz.

For Full List of varieties of *Chrysanthemum maximum*, see our Herbaceous Catalogue.

COLEUS VERSCHAFFELTII, rich crimson foliage; finest variety for bedding. 2/6 per doz.; 15/- per 100.

Other varieties, our selection, 2/6 to 9/- per doz., according to size of plant. For varieties see our List of Indoor Plants.

h **Coreopsis grandiflora**, golden-yellow flowers; excellent for cutting. 3d. each; 2/6 per doz.

c **Crassula Cooperi**, white-flowered species of trailing habit. 3/- per doz.

Cuphea platycentra (syn. *ignea*), scarlet tubular flowers with a black and white rim; very free. 3/-, 4/6, and 6/- per doz.

h **Dactylis glomerata elegantissima**, graceful and elegant cream-striped tufted grass of compact habit; fine for bands or lines..... } 2d. each; 1/- per doz.; 6/- per 100.

h **aurea**, a fine golden-striped variety; effective and distinct.... }

Dahlias. Bedding and other sections; best varieties. Our selection, 3/- per doz. See pages 1 to 45.

h **Daisies**, red and white; excellent for edging, &c. 1/- per doz.; 5/- per 100.

h **Digitalls** (*Foxglove*), pure white and spotted varieties. 3d. each; 1/6 per doz.; 8/- per 100.

Dracæna australis } Excellent for "dot" purposes, centre of
 „ **Bruantii** } beds, sub-tropical gardens, &c. 9d., 1/-,
 and 1/6 each.

Echeveria agavoides, a distinct and pretty form. 1/- and 1/6 each.

„ **Cuspidata**, leaves very thick and swollen, oval and pointed; thickly clustered round the stem. 6d. each.

„ **farinosa**, the whitest of the family. 6d. each.

„ **METALLICA**, large leaves with a fine lustre; excellent "dot" plant. 9d. to 1/6 each.

„ **ROSEA**, rich glaucous foliage, edged bright rose; very handsome. 9d. to 1/6 each.

„ **sanguinea**, pretty dark-red foliage. 1/- each.

„ **SECUNDA GLAUCA**, beautiful glaucous foliage; best variety for edging. 2d. to 4d. each; 1/6 to 3/- per doz.; 10/-, 12/-, 15/-, and 20/- per 100.

Eucalyptus globulus (*Blue Gum*), excellent plant for the sub-tropical garden. 1/- to 1/6 each; 9/-, 12/-, and 15/- per doz.

h **Festuca glauca**, elegant and pretty dwarf grass, with soft blue glaucous foliage; very distinct; good for edging. 3d. each; 2/6 per doz.

h „ **punctoria**, effective grey foliage; good for edging. 4d. each; 3/- per doz.

Ficus elastica, the well-known India-rubber Plant; excellent bold-foliaged plant for the sub-tropical garden. 1/- to 1/6 each; 9/-, 12/-, and 15/- per doz.

Foxglove, see *Digitalis*

FUCHSIAS—Bedding Varieties.

Prices for plants in 2½in. and 3in. pots : Purchaser's Selection, 4d. each, 3/- per doz. ; Our Selection, 3d. each, 2/6 per doz.

Alice Hoffman, bright carmine sepals, pure white corolla semi-double.

Andendenken an Heinrich Henkel, large clusters of long tubular flowers ; bronze-red foliage.

Chilwell Bedder, scarlet sepals ; rich purple corolla.

Clair de Lune, orange vermillion.

Clibrans' Bedder, white sepals, pink corolla.

Duc D'Aumale, white, veined carmine rose.

Duchess of York, white sepals, mauve corolla.

Lord Sandon, red, very free.

Marinka, rich magenta, fine.

Wave of Life, rich scarlet sepals, violet blue corolla.

Standard Trained. We can offer a limited number of Fuchsias trained as standards on 18in. to 24in. stems with well-developed heads. 2/6 each.

For List of Fuchsias see our Catalogue of Indoor Plants.

GAZANIA SPLENDENS, yellow flowers with a dark centre ; very showy. 3d. each ; 2/6 per doz.

„ „ **VARIEGATA**, leaf edged pure white ; one of the best. 3d. each ; 2/6 per doz.

GERANIUMS—Bedding Zonals.

**The MOST POPULAR and BEST KNOWN
OF ALL BEDDING PLANTS.**

3/-, 3/6, 4/- and 4/6 per doz., according to size,
excepting those priced.

Larger, extra fine plants of some varieties can be supplied
in 4½in. pots at 6/- per doz.

Black Vesuvius, foliage almost as dark as *Perilla nankinensis* ; flowers darker shade than *Vesuvius*. 4/- per doz.

Henry Jacoby, dark crimson ; large truss.

GERANIUMS—continued.

John Gibbons, dark scarlet.

King Edward VII., a sport from *Henry Jacoby*, intense glowing crimson, superior to *Jacoby*. 3/6 and 4/- per doz.

Knight's Crimson, rich deep crimson; dwarf compact habit; free. 3/6 and 4/- per doz.

Master Christine, pink; dwarf and free.

Mrs. Constance Lowesby, salmon; fine habit. 3/6 and 4/- per doz.

Mrs. Robert Cannell, salmon, very fine, large flowers, good heads; the best of its colour. 3/6 and 4/- per doz.

Niphetos, fine white; does not become tinted.

Paul Crampel, bright crimson scarlet; the most brilliant and effective variety of its colour. 3/6 per doz. upwards.

Queen of the Belgians, pure white; large flowers; free.

Robert Hayes, clear pink, the best of its colour.

Vesuvius, scarlet.

West Brighton Gem, bright scarlet; dwarf growth.

White West Brighton Gem, a white-flowered form of above.

Gold and Bronze Varieties.

4d. each, 3/6 per doz.

Black Douglas, salmon.

Bronze Beauty, scarlet.

Crystal Palace Gem, salmon rose.

Golden Harry Hieover, vermilion.

Golden Jewel (double), crimson scarlet.

Happy Thought, salmon rose.

Marechal McMahon, vermilion.

Mrs. Quilter, salmon rose; the best bronze.

Princess Clementine (double), vermilion scarlet.

Robert Fish, dwarf growing, yellow foliage.

Zulu, salmon.

GERANIUMS—continued.**Gold and Silver Tricolours.**

Purchaser's selection, 6d. each ; 4/6 per doz. Our selection,
4/- per doz.

Those marked (†) are Silver Tricolours.

Countess of Ashburnham.	Mr. Henry Cox.
†Italla Unita.	Mrs. Pollock. 3/6 $\frac{1}{2}$ doz.
Lady Cullum.	Mrs. Strang.
†Lass o' Gowrie.	†Prince Silverwings.

Silver-edged Varieties.

3/-, 3/6, and 4/- per doz.

Those marked (*) are Double Varieties.

Bijou, pink, creamy-white foliage.

Flower of Spring, pink, margin of leaf creamy white.

***Golden Acre Gem**, pure white ; free.

Lady Plymouth, prettily cut foliage, margined white, sweet-scented.

Madame Sallerol, never known to flower.

Manglesll, pink, very pretty.

***Mdlle. Louise Moron**, bright red ; free.

***Mrs. Parker**, pink, distinct, and attractive.

Prince of Wales, a sport from *H. Jacoby*, rich crimson, dwarf habit. 3/6 and 4/- per doz.

Sir John Holder (new), a striking variety, the foliage is banded with an unusually broad margin of creamy-white, highly effective.

GERANIUMS—continued.

Ivy-leaved Varieties.

3/-, 3/6, and 4/- doz.

Galilee, soft rosy pink ; a very beautiful variety.

Madame Crousse, delicate rose pink, freely produced in fine trusses ; the best variety for bedding, hanging baskets, &c.

L'Elegant, leaves beautifully margined creamy white ; excellent for a basket.

Souv. de Chas. Turner, rose, shaded violet amaranth ; a great favourite.

Other Varieties, our selection, 2/6 and 3/- per doz.

A full List of Ivy-leaved Geraniums is contained in our Catalogue of Indoor Plants.

Double Geraniums in 4½ in. Pots.

We can supply the following varieties during Spring and early Summer, well-grown extra-size plants, in 4½ in. pots, suitable for rooms, window boxes, &c. They will produce an abundance of bloom from April onwards.

Purchaser's selection, 9d. each, 7/6 per doz. **Our selection**, 6d. each, 5/- and upwards per doz.

Berthe de Presilly, bright silvery rose.

F. V. Raspall, rich scarlet.

Hermine, pure white.

King of Denmark, rich salmon.

Lawrance, pink, extra fine.

Miss G. Ashworth, pure white.

IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS.

In 4½ in. Pots.

All Double or Semi-double Flowered.

Prices as above.

Achievement, salmon-pink.

Col. Baden-Powell, blush lilac.

Countess de Gray, soft pink. 1/6 each.

Devonshire Lass, carmine-rose.

Galilee, soft rosy-pink.

Her Majesty the Queen, salmon.

Jeanne d'Arc, milk white.

Joseph Warner, rose, marked red.

L'Elegant, white, veined purple, leaves margined white.

Mdme. Crousse, rose.

Mrs. John G. Day, crimson-rose.

Mrs. W. H. Martin, flesh-pink.

Nora, soft rosy-pink. 1/6 each.

Souv. de Charles Turner, rose, shaded violet.

c **Golden Feather**, see *Pyrethrum aureum*.

Grevillea robusta, graceful foliage plant ; excellent for " dot " purposes, centre of beds, &c. 9d. to 1/6 each.

a **Helichrysum**, well-known everlasting flowers ; finest mixed colours. 4d. and 6d. per score ; 1/6 and 2/- per 100.

Heliotrope, splendid for bedding ; best bedding varieties. Our selection, 2/6 per doz. A full List of Sorts is contained in our Catalogue of Indoor Plants.

<i>h c</i>	Herniaria glabra , excellent for carpeting or edging ; closely and rapidly covering the ground with small, shining, deep-green foliage	}	3d. each ; 2/6 per doz.
<i>h c</i>	,, ,, aurea , a pretty golden-leaved variety of above		

IREFINE	BRILLIANTISSIMA , ruby - red foliage ; very effective	}	In pots, 3d. each, 2/- per doz., 12/- per 100.
,,	LINDENII , darker-coloured foliage than the above		
,,	HERBSTII , more rounded foliage than above		

Out of pots, 1/6 per doz., 10/- per 100.

Klenia repens, pretty dwarf-growing succulent, producing yellow flowers. 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.

Kochia Trichophylla, an elegant foliage plant, very effective as a summer bedder, either in a mass or as a " dot " plant ; foliage light green, changing to crimson in autumn ; it attains a height of about 2ft., forming a dense symmetrical bush ; the plant is an annual. 3d., 6d., and 9d. each ; 2/6, 4/6, and 6/- per doz.

Koniga maritima fol. var., white flowers, variegated foliage ; pretty. 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.

Lantanas, in fine variety ; our selection. 2/6 per doz.

For List of Sorts see our Catalogue of Indoor Plants.

Lemon-scented Verbena, see *Aloysia citriodora*.

Leucophyton Brownii, a pretty plant, the stems and minute leaves being glaucous white ; an effective contrast. 6d. each ; 4/6 per doz.

LOBELIAS.

Dwarf Bedding Varieties.

Plants in pots, 3d. each ; 2/- per doz. ; 12/- per 100. Out of boxes, 1/- per doz. ; 5/- per 100. Rooted Cuttings from Stores (available during the first three months of the year only). 6d. per doz. ; 3/- per 100.

BARNARD'S PERPETUAL, bright ultramarine blue, with pure white markings ; compact habit ; very free.

DOROTHY DIXON, bright dark blue, white eye ; dwarf upright habit ; free.

EMPEROR WILLIAM, light blue ; an excellent bedder.

KATHLEEN MALLARD (A.M., R.H.S.), a beautiful double-flowered variety, compact habit, free ; light blue, perfectly double ; striking and effective.

MRS. CLIBRAN, the finest variety of bedding Lobelia in existence ; dwarf compact habit, profuse in bloom, producing flowers of the most intense blue with a minute white eye.

OLDFIELD WHITE, large pure white flowers ; strong grower ; suitable for edging.

WAVERLEY, light blue, quite distinct ; a most beautiful colour ; good habit ; free.

<i>h</i>	Lobelia Cardinalis , rich red foliage ; deep red flowers	} 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.
<i>h</i>	Queen Victoria , blood-red foliage and intense velvet-crimson flowers ; magnificent	

For other varieties of Hardy Lobelias see List of Herbaceous Plants.

h c **Lysimachia nummularia** (*Creeping Jenny*, *Moneywort*), profusely covered with showy, bright yellow flowers, lin. across ; excellent for carpeting, baskets, window boxes, &c. 3d. each ; 2/6 per doz.

h c **„ „ aurea**, fine yellow foliage. 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.

Marguerites, white and yellow flowered ; our selection of varieties. Strong plants in 2½ in. pots, 2/6 per doz. ; larger plants in 4½ in., 5 in., and 6½ in. pots, 4/6, 6/-, 9/-, 12/-, and 18/- per doz.

For List of varieties see our Catalogue of Indoor Plants.

<i>a</i>	Marigold, African , orange	} splendid strain	{ 4d. and 6d. per score ; 1/6 and 2/- per 100.
<i>a</i>	„ „ „ lemon		
<i>a</i>	„ „ French , striped		

c MESEMBRYANTHEMUM CORDIFOLIUM, fol. var., creamy-yellow and cream. In pots, 3d. each ; 2/- per doz. ; 12/- per 100. Out of pots, 1/6 per doz. ; 10/- per 100.

MIMULUS HARRISONII, fragrant, yellow flowers, 3d. each ; 2/6 per doz.

„ **MOSCHATUS**, the well-known old-fashioned sweet-smelling Musk. 3d. each ; 2/6 per doz.

h „ (*Monkey Flower*). herbaceous varietles ; deep red or bright yellow. 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.

Mixed Seedlings, embracing a range of brilliant colours. 1/6 per doz.

Nasturtium, see *Tropæolum*.

c Nepeta Glechoma variegata, a charming trailing or hanging plant for a basket or similar purpose ; leaves blotched white and cream. 6d. each ; 4/6 per doz.

NICOTIANA AFFINIS, pure white sweet-scented tobacco plant.....

<p>„ SANDERÆ (new Hybrids), flowers produced in a wide range of colour—pure white, pink, light red, dark red, purple, crimson, violet, and salmon—with the greatest freedom</p>	<p>In 3in. pots, 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.</p>
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h **PANSIES**, choicest mixed seedlings, lovely colours, strong plants. 1/6 per doz ; 10/- per 100.

h **PENSTEMONS**, seedlings from choicest named varietles, embracing a wide series of colours ; in pots, 2/- per doz. ; 12/- per 100.

For named varieties see list of Herbaceous Plants.

PERILLA NANKINENSIS, well-known dark-folliaged plant for ribbon borders, &c. From Stores, 1/- per doz. ; in pots, 1/6 per doz.

PETUNIA, single ; fine seedlings saved from our own specially-selected strain. 3d. each ; 2/- per doz.

a **Phlox Drummondii**, very brilliant for beds ; all colours ; young plants. 4d. and 6d. per score ; 1/6 and 2/- per 100.

h **Pinks**, well-known plants, producing an abundance of sweetly fragrant flowers ; best bedding varieties. 2/6 per doz. ; 16/- per 100.

PYRETHRUM AUREUM , Golden Feather ; yellow.....	} 3d. per doz. ; in boxes containing 100 plants, 1/6 per box ; can be turned out if preferred.
„ „ SELAGINOIDES , dwarf ; compact habit ; superior to above..	

a **Ricinus Gibsoni**, a variety of the Castor Oil Plant, with rich dark-coloured foliage ; excellent for sub-tropical bedding. 1/6 per doz.

h c **Sagina Procumbens**, fine foliage for carpet bedding. 3d. each ; 2/6 per doz.

a **Salpiglossis grandiflora**, among the loveliest of half-hardy annuals. 6d. per score ; 2/6 per 100.

Salvia patens, rich blue ; fine bedding and border plant. 3/- per doz.

„ **Zurich**, bright scarlet flowers ; fine for bedding. 3/- per doz.

h **Santolina Incana**, a pretty silver-leaved plant, producing yellow flowers. 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.

h c **Saxifraga**.—The following are the best varieties of Saxifragas for carpet beds :—

Hypnoides , Kingli , pulchella , affinis , hibernica , intacta , intermedia , muscolides rubra , pectinata , serrata minor	} 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.

h c **Sedum**.—The following are the finest Sedums for carpet beds :—

Acre , acre elegans , glaucum , lydlum , turgidum	} 2/- per doz.

h c **Sempervivums**.—Best kinds for carpet bedding :—

Arachnoideum , dodrantaie , flagelliforme , globiferum , rupestre	} 3/- per doz.

For full List of Saxifragas, Sedums, and Sempervivums, see our Catalogue of Herbaceous Plants.

h c Spergula ptilifera aurea (2in.) yellow; with small white flowers; valuable for carpeting and edging. 3d. each; 2/- per doz.; 12/- per 100.

h Stachys lanata, white woolly foliage; useful for edging. 4d. each; 3/- per doz.

a STOCKS, GERMAN, TEN-WEEKS, young plants :—

"	"	"	white ..	} 4d. and 6d. per score; 1/6 and 2/- per 100.
"	"	"	scarlet ..	
"	"	"	flesh ..	
"	"	"	mixed ..	

Tobacco Plants. See *Nicotiana*.

TROPÆOLUMS (Nasturtiums).

Dwarf Bedding Varieties.

Purchaser's Selection, 3/- per doz.; Our Selection, 2/6 per doz.

Mrs. Cilbran, pure golden yellow; free; compact.

Nanum variegatum, light scarlet; leaves flaked and splashed creamy white.

Scarlet Bedder, the best dwarf-growing scarlet-flowered bedding *Tropæolum*.

Climbing Varieties.

Prices as above.

Annie Cilbran, rich golden yellow, with a crimson blotch.

Canariensis, "Canary Creeper," lovely canary-yellow. 1/6 per doz.

Darmstadt, a new double-flowered variety, producing rich deep orange, perfectly double flowers, 2½in. across; wonderfully free; a magnificent variety. 6d. each; 4/6 per doz. Larger plants 9d. and 1/- each.

Dr. Mules, deep crimson, finest climbing variety of its colour.

Fireball, brightest scarlet.

TROPÆOLUM—Climbing Varities—continued.

Gloire de Bordeaux, scarlet and yellow, double flowers.

Phœbe, deep golden yellow, with a crimson feather on each petal; sweet scented.

Warrior, rich dark crimson-maroon; very striking, vigorous, free.

VERBENAS.

Strong established plants in 2½ in. pots, 2/6 per doz.

Allemanla, pink, excellent habit; very free; good bedder.

Boule de Neige, one of the best white bedders; sweet scented.

Ellen Willmott, lovely pink, with a white eye; good grower and free bloomer; a splendid variety for bedding, growing in pots, &c.; the finest of its colour. Can also be supplied in 4½ in. pots at 6/–, 9/–, 12/–, and 18/– per doz., according to size and development.

King of Scarlets, bright scarlet; free and effective.

Lovely Blue, light blue; sweetly scented; free and good.

Lustrous, intense scarlet, pure white eye; strong grower, creeping habit.

Nemesis, deep pink, fine.

Purple King, rich deep purple self; very free.

SEEDLING VERBENAS, in separate or mixed colours—scarlet, white, blue, and purple; strong, vigorous, young plants in 2½ in. pots. 2/– per doz.

h VIOLAS, best bedding varieties, in most distinct colours. 1/3 per doz.; 8/– per 100.

For collection of Violas see our Carnation and Viola Catalogue.

h Yuccas, best sorts for "dot" purposes. 6d. to 10/6 each, according to size.

a Zinnia elegans, double Mixed; very fine. 4d. and 6d. per score; 1/6 and 2/– per 100.

Any variety of bedding plant not included in the preceding List we shall be pleased to supply at current prices.

PLANTS FOR HANGING BASKETS.

- Asparagus plumosus**, strong well-furnished plants. 6/-, 9/-, 12/-, 15/-, and 18/- per doz.
- „ **Sprengerl**, strong branching plants. 6/-, 9/-, 12/-, and 15/- per doz.
- Campanula Isophylla**, flowers 2in. across, salver shaped lilac-blue with grey centre. 6d. each; 4/6 per doz.
- „ „ **alba**, pure white; very free. 9d. each; 6/- per doz.
- „ „ **Balchliniana**, broad creamy-white margined leaves, having a green centre; lovely blue flowers. 1/- each; 9/- per doz.
- „ „ **Mayl**, pale lavender-blue flowers, produced with freedom. 6d. each; 4/6 per doz.
- Convolvulus mauritanicus**, a pretty trailer; pale blue flowers. 4/6 and 6/- per doz.
- Ferns**, best long fronded varieties for baskets. 6/-, 9/-, 12/-, and 18/- per doz.
- Ficus repens** } Strong, well-furnished plants. 4/6 and
 „ „ **minima** } 6/- per doz.
- Isolepis gracilis**, bright green grass-like foliage. 6/- per doz.
- Ivies**, best varieties for basket work. 4/6, 6/-, and 9/- per doz.
- Lonicera aurea reticulata**, beautiful emerald-green leaves, netted with gold; well adapted for hanging baskets, covering the fronts of window boxes, &c. 6d., 9d., and 1/- each; 5/-, 6/-, and 9/- per doz.
- Panicum variegatum**, strong, well-furnished plants. 4/6 and 6/- per doz.
- Saxifraga sarmentosa** (Mother of Thousands). 4/6 and 6/- per doz.
- Tradescantia tricolour**, an excellent hanging plant. 4/6 and 6/- per doz.

PLANTS FOR HANGING BASKETS —continued.

In addition to the foregoing, the following are well adapted by their more or less pendulous habit of growth for basket purposes; prices and particulars of each will be found on the preceding pages.

Fuchsias.

Geranium, King Edward VII.

„ **Ivy-leaved vars.**

Lysimachia nummularia.

„ „ **aurea.**

Mesembryanthemum cordifolium fol. var.

Nepeta glechoma variegata.

Tropæolums.

Wire Hanging Baskets.

We can supply the above furnished with flowering or foliage plants, or both, from 3/6 each and upwards, according to size, number, and class of plants used, &c.

Window Boxes.

Made of stout board with perforated bottoms, and painted green on the outside, can be supplied filled with plants to give a display throughout the Summer. **Prices quoted upon receipt of particulars as to size wanted.**

Hanging Baskets and Window Boxes Refurnished.

We shall be pleased to undertake the refilling of baskets or window boxes that our Patrons already possess with any class of plant they wish.

Tubs for Plants.

We can supply hardwood tubs, charred inside to ensure lasting, painted green and black outside, drilled bottoms for drainage, with or without iron handles, in various sizes. **Prices quoted on receipt of particulars as to size required.**

BEDDING CONTRACTS.

We are prepared to undertake the furnishing and planting of any class of Beds for Spring, Summer, or Winter effect. Having at our command large stocks of the best classes of bedding subjects, together with an experienced staff of men, we are in a position to carry out work of this description in the most complete and satisfactory manner.

FOR AUTUMN PLANTING.

SPRING FLOWERING PLANTS.

Note.—The following are strong, healthy, well-rooted, transplanted plants, specially grown to give a good display of bloom in Spring :—

Alyssum saxatile compactum, produces an abundance of golden-yellow flowers in Spring. 1/6 per doz. ; 8/- per 100.

Arabis albid. 1/6 per doz. ; 8/- per 100.

„ „ **fl. pl., Snowdrift**, beautiful early Spring-flowering plant. Flowers pure white, double, and produced on strong spikes with the utmost freedom. 2/- per doz. ; 12/- per 100.

„ „ **fl. pl., fol. var.** See page 48.

Other choice named varieties, 1/6 to 4/6 per doz.

Aubrietia deltoidea, 3in., violet-purple. 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.

„ „ **Dr. Mules**, rich deep purplish-violet. 3/- per doz.

„ „ **graeca**, 2in., light purple. 1/6 per doz.

„ „ **Hendersonii**, 3in., deep purple-blue. 1/6 per doz.

„ „ **Leichtlini**, 3in., crimson-rose. 4d. each ; 3/- per doz.

„ „ **purpurea**, 4in., purple. 1/6 per doz.

SPRING FLOWERING PLANTS —continued.

We can supply the following, except where stated otherwise, at 1/- per doz., 6/- per 100 :—

Canterbury Bells, white, blue, and rose.

Myosotis, blue and white.

Polyanthus, all colours.

Primroses, mixed colours.

Silene pendula compacta, pink.

Sweet Williams, mixed colours.

„ scarlet or white, 1/6 per doz.

„ double crimson, 2/6 per doz.

Wallflowers, yellow or dark.

DWARF CONIFERS, EVER- GREEN SHRUBS, &c.

FOR ROCK WORK, WINDOW BOXES, WINTER AND SPRING BEDDING.

We can supply the most suitable sorts in strong bushy plants, from 3/- per doz.; 20/- per 100 upwards, according to size and sorts supplied.

ABRIDGED LIST OF TOOLS AND REQUISITES

useful for the carrying out of bedding, cultivation of Dahlias, care of lawns, &c. For complete List of all Garden Tools, Implements, Sundries, and Requisites, see our Garden Seed List. Free on request.

Bamboo Canes. About 3ft. 10in. long, 3/6 per 100; 5ft., 6/6 per 100; 6ft., 9/6 per 100; 7ft., 10/6 per 100.

Barrows, Grass, with removable top. 42/- each.

Baskets, Wire Hanging. 8in. diameter, 9d. each; 10in. diameter, 1/- and 1/6, according to pattern; larger sizes at proportionate prices.

Bloom Protector, the "Acme," for protecting Dahlia blooms from sun, wind, rain, or frost. 1/- each; 9/- per doz.; one gross and upwards, 96/- per gross.

Brooms, Birch. With handles, 8d. each; 7/- per doz. Without handles, 6d. each; 5/- per doz.

„ **Apsley Bamboo**, for lawns, golf courses, and general garden use; a great improvement on the old birch broom. 1/9 each.

TOOLS AND REQUISITES**—continued.**

Daisy Grubber, 1/3, 1/6, and 2/- each.

Dibblers, iron shod. 1/6 each.

Dock Drawers, with **D** or **T** handles, 4/- and 4/6 each.

Edge Clipper, a useful little machine for clipping the verge of lawns; entirely dispenses with the use of hand shears. 35/-, carriage paid.

Edging Irons. Without handles, 2/6 and 3/- each; with handles, 3/- to 4/-.

Flower Gatherers. Per pair, 2/6 to 5/-.

Forks, Digging, 4 and 5 prongs, 4/- and 4/6 each; smaller size for ladies and children, 2/-, 2/6, and 3/- each.

„ **Manure**, 4, 5, and 6 prongs, 3/6 to 5/- each.

„ **Weeding**, long handle, 1/-, 1/6, 2/-, and 2/6; short handle, 7d., 10d., 1/-, 1/6, and 2/- each.

Garden Tools, in sets for Ladies' use, polished handles, bright and red blades—Spade, Fork, Rake, Hoe, Trowel, and Weed Fork. 7/6 to 9/6 per set.

Garden Tools, Special Set for Children, bright and blue blades, Spade, Fork, Rake, and Trowel. 4/- per set.

Handles, for Hoes, Rakes, &c., from 4ft. to 6ft. 6d. to 10d. each.

Hoes, Dutch or Draw, 4in. to 10in. 6d. to 2/- each.

Hones, Tam O'Shanter, for putting a keen edge on knives. 1/- each; small size for pocket, 6d.

Hose, Garden. See Garden Seed List.

Knives, Budding, 3/- to 4/3 each; **Pruning**, 2/- to 4/6 each.

Labels, Wooden, 4in. to 10in. 4d. to 1/4 per 100; 3/- to 12/6 per 1,000.

Lawn Boots, the "Pattison" and other types. See Garden Seed List.

„ **Mowers**, best makes, in all sizes. Prices on application.

„ **Sprinklers**. Prices and full particulars on application.

„ **Weeder**, the "Champion." 4/-.

Layer Pegs, flat zinc. 1/3 per 100.

Lines, Garden, 30 yards and 60 yards. 9d. and 1/6 each.

Pencils, Wolff's Garden, 3d. each. **Rakes**, best iron, 5 to 16 teeth, 1½d. per tooth.

TOOLS AND REQUISITES

—continued.

- Raffia**, for tying. Ordinary, 1/- per lb.; green, 1/6 per lb.
- Rakes**, Daisy or Lawn. 16 to 26 teeth, 5/6 to 7/6 each.
- Reels and Stakes**, for garden lines. 2/- and 2/6 each.
- Riddles**, strong wire, 20in. diameter, $\frac{1}{4}$ in. to 2in. mesh. 2/6 to 2/- each.
- Rollers**, ordinary and water ballast. Prices and particulars on application.
- Scythe Blades**, for mowing lawns. 36in., 4/-; 40in., 4/3.
- „ **Snaths**, American, ring fastening. 2/6 each.
- „ **Stones**. 6d. each. Bags for same, 2/6 each.
- Shears**, **Edging or Verge**, 5/6 to 7/6 per pair. **Grass Shears**, bent, 2/6 per pair.
- Spades**, Strapped or Socket, all bright. 4/3 to 4/6 each.
- „ **Ladies' and Children's**. 2/- and 3/- each.
- Spuds or Weeders**. 6d. and 1/- each; with walking-stick handle, 2/6 each.
- Stakes**, square, for Dahlias, Roses, &c., green painted, tarred bottoms, 3ft. to 7ft. 1/6 to 5/- per doz.
- Sticks**, Wooden Garden, 1ft. to 5ft. 6d. to 4/- per 100; 4/6 to 36/- per 1,000.
- Tape**. **Green, for tying**, on Reels of 250 yards, with holder and hook to fasten in buttonhole, 1/6 each. Post free 1/9 each.
- Tar Cord and Tar Twine**. 1/- per lb.
- Tennis Markers**. 17/- and 20/- each, carriage paid.
- Trowels**, short handle, best steel, 8d. to 2/- each; long handle, best steel, 1/9 to 2/3 each.
- „ black cast steel, 4d., 6d., 8d., 10d., and 1/- each.
- Twine Hemp**, per ball, 1/- and 1/6.
- Virgin Cork**, per lb., 4d.; 14lbs., 3/6; 28lbs., 6/6; cwt., 20/-.
- Water Barrows**, 12 gals. to 30 gals. 31/- to 40/- each.
- „ **Cans**, 1/9 to 12/- each, according to pattern and size.
- Weed Eradicator**, "Wikeham," 8/6 each; post free 9/-.
- Wire Bordering for Lawns, Paths, &c.** 9in., 1/6; 12in., 1/9; 15in., 2/-; 18in., 2/3 per yard.

For full List of all Garden Tools, Requisites, &c., see our Garden Seed List, free on request.

Clibrans' Garden Manures.

	Prices.	Per pkt.	14lbs.	$\frac{1}{2}$ cwt.	cwt.
Clibrans' Nitrogen Manure ..	6d. & 1/-	2/-	7/6	14/6	
Clibrans' Phosphate Manure	6d. & 1/-	1/6	5/6	10/6	
Clibrans' Potash Manure ..	6d. & 1/-	1/3	4/6	8/6	
$\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and upwards Carriage Paid.					

CLIBRANS' IDEAL FERTILIZER.

THE PERFECTION OF MANURES.

Prices—Tins, 6d. and 1/- ; post free, 10d. and 1/5. Bags, 7 lbs., 1/9 ; 14 lbs., 3/- ; 28 lbs., 5/- ; 56 lbs., 9/6 ; per cwt., 18/-. $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and upwards, Carriage Paid. No charge for Bags.

CLIBRANS' BLOOD MANURE.

Prices—In packets, 6d. and 1/- ; post free, 10d. and 1/5. 7 lbs., 1/9 ; 14 lbs., 3/- ; 28 lbs., 5/- ; 56 lbs., 9/6 ; per cwt., 18/-. $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and upwards, Carriage Paid. No charge for Bags.

CLIBRANS' BONE MEAL.

PRICES—FINEST QUALITY, SUPERFINE, or ORDINARY GRADES, per lb., 2d. ; 14 lbs., 2/- ; per $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt., 8/- ; cwt., 14/-. $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and upwards, Carriage Paid.

GOOD QUALITY, SUPERFINE, or ORDINARY GRADES, per lb., 2d. ; 14 lbs., 1/9 ; $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt., 6/6 ; per cwt., 12/-. $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and upwards, Carriage Paid.

BONES—Half-inch and inch.

PRICES—FINEST QUALITY, per $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt., 7/- ; cwt., 12/- Carriage Paid on $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and upwards.

GOOD QUALITY, per $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt., 6/- ; per cwt., 10/6. $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and upwards, Carriage Paid.

CLIBRANS' LAWN MANURE.

PRICES—In Bags, per $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt., 6/- ; per cwt., 11/6. $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. and upwards, Carriage Paid.

Note.—Owing to market fluctuations, prices of some of the undernoted are subject to variation at times.

Various Manures.

All Free on Rails except where otherwise stated.

Basic Slag, 14 lbs., 1/-; per cwt., 6/-; 5 cwt., 25/-; 10 cwt., 45/-

Beeson's, in boxes, 1/- and 2/6; bags, 56 lbs., 8/-; per cwt., 15/-

Canary Guano, in tins, 6d. and 1/-; bags, 14 lbs., 4/6; 28 lbs., 7/6; 56 lbs., 12/6; per cwt., 20/-

Horn Shavings, 14 lbs., 2/-; per cwt., 14/6.

Improved Fish Guano—per cwt., 16/6; $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt., 8/6; $\frac{1}{4}$ cwt., 4/6; 14 lbs., 2/6; 7 lbs., 1/6.

Kainit, 14 lbs., 1/-; per cwt., 6/-; 5 cwt., 25/-; 10 cwt., 50/-

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